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ABSTRACT

Moment-curvature relationships have been developed for plates with various transverse cross sections by previous investigators. The main purpose of this thesis was to extend this work to include plates with cambered bitrapezoidal cross sections. Experimental results are presented showing good agreement between theory and experiment. The theory indicated that if the camber was increased beyond a critical value, the plates exhibited a bending instability for certain values of curvature. This instability characteristic was verified by experiment.

The theory presented was for a general cross section. By changing certain parameters the theory was shown to approach the linear theory for a flat plate with a rectangular cross section and it also approached the results obtained for a plate with a bitrapezoidal cross section with no camber.

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x, y, z	- rectangular co-ordinates
M_y, M_x	- moment per unit distance acting on the plane perpendicular to y and x axis respectively
M_{xy}	- twisting moment per unit distance
b	- one-half plate width
t	- total thickness of plate
t_o	- one-half the thickness of the tapered portion of the plate
k	- dimensionless parameter defining amount of camber (Fig. 1.5)
N_x, N_y	- membrane forces per unit distance in x and y directions respectively
R_y	- longitudinal radius of curvature
R_x	- transverse radius of curvature
R	- radius of curvature measured from neutral surface in the plate cross section
Q_x, Q_y	- shearing forces per unit distance
θ	- angle measurement
E	- modulus of elasticity
μ	- Poisson's ratio
w	- deflection in z-direction of centre line of cross section from neutral surface
w_o	- initial deflection of centre line of cross section from neutral surface
ζ	- deflection in z-direction of centre line of cross section from neutral surface due to applied moments only
ζ_o	- particular solution of governing differential equation
ζ^*	- complimentary solution of governing differential equation
V_x	- shearing force per unit distance on edge of plate
e	- strain in μ -in./in.
e_B	- double bending strain in μ -in./in. as obtained from strain indicator
I	- moment of inertia about neutral surface
c	- plate edge thickness

OTHER RELATIONSHIPS

$$w = w_o + \zeta$$

$$\rho = \frac{t}{t_o}$$

$$\xi = 1 - \frac{x}{b}$$

$$\lambda^4 = \frac{3b^4(1 - \mu^2)}{R^2 t_o^2}$$

$$t = 2t_o(1 - \frac{x}{b}) + c$$

$$\beta = \frac{c}{2t_o}$$

$$\gamma = \xi + \beta$$

$$\epsilon = 2\lambda\beta^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\alpha = 2\lambda(1 + \beta)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\eta = 2\lambda\gamma^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Other symbols not defined here are defined when used.

INTRODUCTION

The governing equation for the moment-curvature relationship for a plate with a rectangular cross section can be written as

$$M = - \frac{EI}{R} \frac{(1 - \bar{k}\mu^2)}{(1 - \mu^2)} \quad \text{where } EI \text{ is the stiffness, } R \text{ is the radius of}$$

curvature in the longitudinal direction, μ is Poisson's ratio and $\bar{k}$ is a parameter which depends on the ratio $\frac{d^2}{Rt}$ (d is the width and t is the thickness of the plate). For a beam $\bar{k} = 1$, and for a plate $\bar{k} = 0$ (i.e. a plate is one whose width is many times larger than its thickness). For beams and plates with rectangular cross sections there is a gradual transition in $\bar{k}$ from a value of one to zero as the width of the beam is increased while the thickness is held constant.

When plates with tapered cross sections are considered, the moment-curvature relationship becomes more complicated. The aim of this thesis was to investigate theoretically and experimentally the stability of plates with a general bitrapezoidal cross section and to show that with suitable parameter changes, the theory approached the results obtained by other investigators.

CHAPTER I

THEORETICAL CONSIDERATIONS1.1 HISTORICAL REVIEW

The problem of finding a moment-curvature relationship for a flat plate with a rectangular cross section, with its longitudinal edges being free, was first investigated by Kelvin and Tait^{(1)*} in 1879. Timoshenko⁽²⁾ modified the form of Kelvin and Tait's equation by including the $\bar{k}$ term which accounted for the transition from a beam to a plate. In 1949, Flügge⁽³⁾ obtained moment-curvature relationships for various forms of tapered cross sections. Some of the sections he considered were rectangular, double-wedge and certain bitrapezoidal cross sections. Flügge obtained his results by assuming a power series form of solution. Ashwell⁽⁴⁾, in 1952, considered the bending instability of curved rectangular plates. Later, Ashwell⁽⁵⁾ extended his work to include bending instability of slightly corrugated rectangular plates. Fung and Wittrick⁽⁶⁾ in 1954, mentioned the problem of bending instability for plates with a double-wedge cross section, however, no theory was presented.

One of the cross sections considered by Flügge⁽³⁾ had finite edge thickness but no camber (see Fig. 1.1). Fung and Wittrick⁽⁶⁾ considered a cross section with infinitely thin edges including a camber as shown in Fig. 1.2. In the bending of plates with cross sections as shown in Fig. 1.3A, torsional instability develops. Goodier⁽⁷⁾ discussed torsional instability in thin-walled, constant thickness, open section channels, however, this was beyond the scope of this thesis.

* Numbers in parenthesis refer to references at the end of thesis.

The theory developed in this thesis is for a tapered cross section having finite edge thickness and camber (Fig. 1.3) which does not exhibit torsional instability. By a change in sign for the parameter w_0 , the theory may be applied to a plate with a cross section as shown in Fig. 1.3A. However, torsional instability is not taken into account in the analysis.

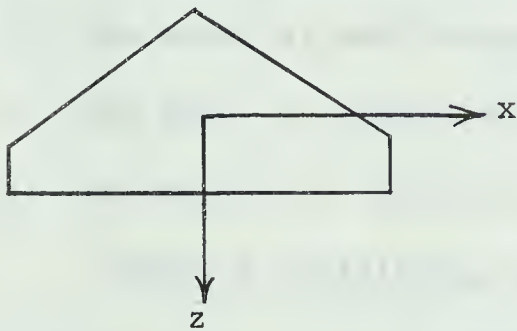


FIG. 1.1

FLÜGGE'S CROSS SECTION

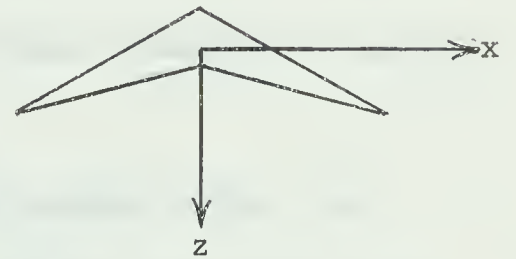


FIG. 1.2

FUNG AND WITTRICK'S CROSS SECTION

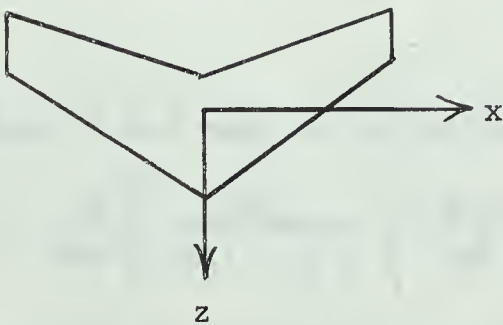


FIG. 1.3

AUTHOR'S CROSS SECTION

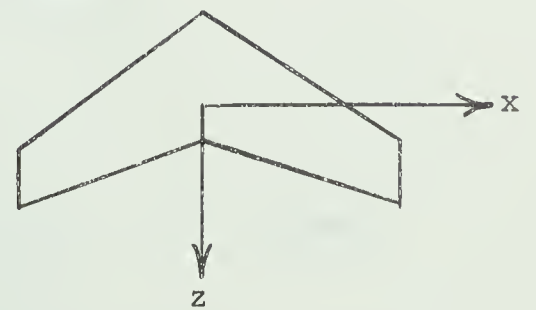


FIG. 1.3A

ALTERNATIVE CROSS SECTION

1.2 DEVELOPMENT OF THEORY

The governing differential equation was obtained by considering the equilibrium of a plate element as shown in Fig. 1.4. The general cross section considered is shown in Fig. 1.5 and the manner in which the plate was loaded is shown in Fig. 1.6.

The assumptions used in the development of the theory were as follows:

- a) The behavior of the material under loading was perfectly elastic and obeyed Hooke's Law.
- b) The material was homogeneous.
- c) The slope of transverse deflection curve was small compared to unity.
- d) The weight of the plate was zero.

Applying equilibrium conditions to the plate element (Fig. 1.4) and using geometrical and Hooke's Law relationships the following differential equation was obtained

$$\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \left[\frac{Et^3}{12(1 - \mu^2)} \left(\frac{d^2w}{dx^2} + \frac{\mu}{R-w} \right) \right] + \frac{Ewt}{(R-w)^2} = 0 \quad 1.2-1$$

where the thickness t of the transverse section is

$$t = 2t_0 \left(1 - \frac{x}{b} \right) + c \quad 1.2-2$$

for any positive x and c is the edge thickness. The transverse deflection w can be assumed to be small compared to R , hence

$$R - w \doteq R.$$

Eqn. 1.2-1 can now be written as

$$\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \left[\frac{Et^3}{12(1 - \mu^2)} \left(\frac{d^2w}{dx^2} + \frac{\mu}{R} \right) \right] + \frac{Ewt}{R^2} = 0. \quad 1.2-3$$

Lamb⁽⁸⁾ obtained a solution to the above equation for a plate of constant thickness t .

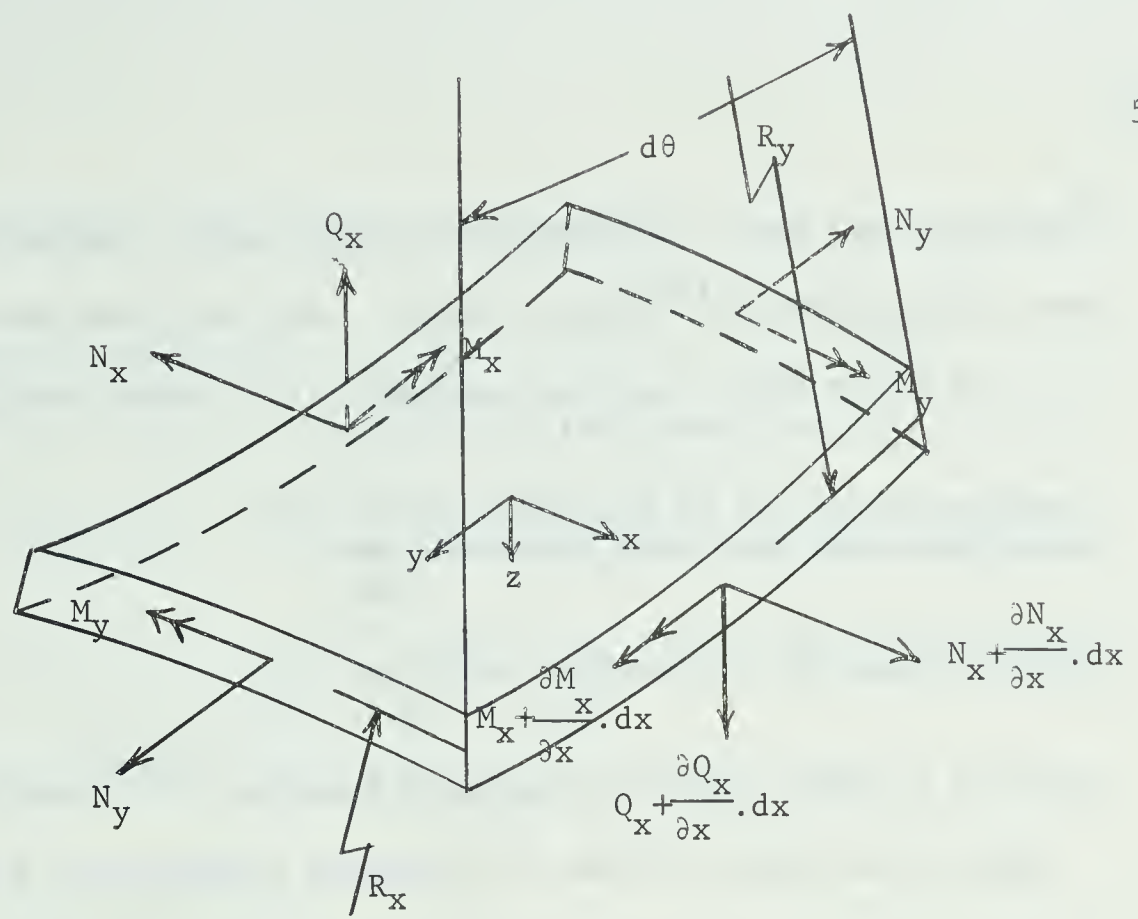


FIG. 1.4 PLATE ELEMENT

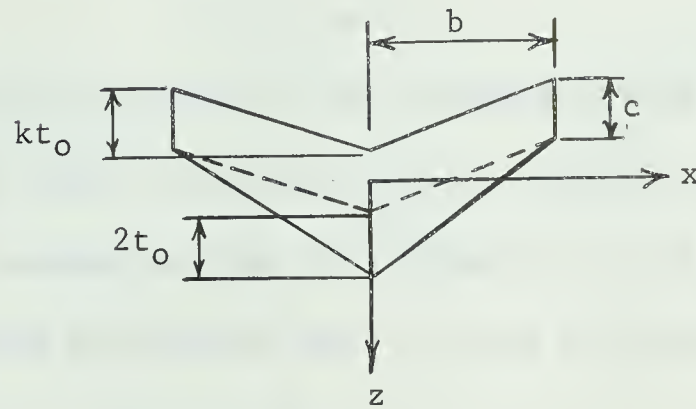


FIG. 1.5 GENERAL CROSS SECTION

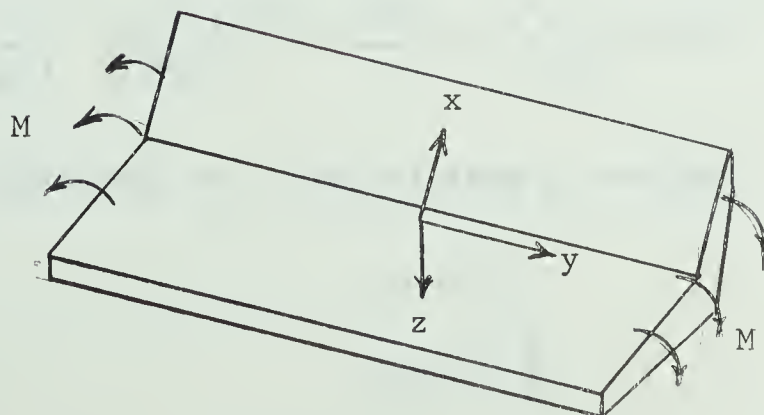


FIG. 1.6 PLATE ORIENTATION

Using von Kármán's large deflection equations, Fung and Wittrick⁽⁶⁾ obtained the same result as Lamb. These authors⁽⁶⁾ extended their work to include the case where: (a) the cross section of the plate had a variable thickness $t(x)$,

(b) initial mid-line of the cross section was displaced from the centroidal axis, and

(c) the cross section had no edge thickness, (i.e. $c = 0$).

Bellow and Faulkner^(9,10) extended Fung and Wittrick's work to a cross section (see Fig. 1.3A) which included (a) and (b) above and an edge thickness, i.e. $c > 0$.

To simplify calculations let

$$w = w_0 + \zeta, \quad 1.2-4$$

where w_0 is the initial distortion of the mid-line of the cross section from the neutral axis, and ζ is the additional deflection due to the applied moments. By considering the first moment of area of the cross section (Fig. 1.5) about the neutral axis, it can be shown that

$$w_0 = t_0(1 + k) \left[1 - \frac{x}{b} - \frac{\beta + 2/3}{2\beta + 1} \right] \quad 1.2-5$$

where $\beta = \frac{c}{2t_0}$.

Since w_0 is a linear function of x , Eqn. 1.2-3 becomes

$$\frac{d^2}{dx^2} \left(t^3 \frac{d^2 \zeta}{dx^2} \right) + \frac{\mu}{R} \frac{d^2 (t^3)}{dx^2} + \frac{12t(1 - \nu^2) (\zeta + w_0)}{R^2} = 0. \quad 1.2-6$$

This can be transformed to a simpler form by setting

$$\rho = \frac{t}{t_0}$$

and

$$\xi = 1 - \frac{x}{b}$$

yielding

$$\frac{d^2}{d\xi^2} \left(\rho^3 \frac{d^2 \zeta}{d\xi^2} \right) + \frac{\mu b^2}{R} \frac{d^2}{d\xi^2} (\rho^3) + 4\lambda^4 \rho (\zeta + w_0) = 0 \quad 1.2-7$$

where $\lambda^4 = \frac{3b^4(1 - \mu^2)}{R^2 t_0^2}$ and t_0 is defined as one-half the thickness of the tapered portion of the plate (Fig. 1.5). Further simplifications were made by substituting

$$\gamma = \xi + \beta,$$

giving the final form of Eqn. 1.2-7 as

$$\frac{d^2}{d\gamma^2} \left(\gamma^3 \frac{d^2 \zeta}{d\gamma^2} \right) + \frac{6\mu b^2 \gamma}{R} + \lambda^4 \gamma (\zeta + w_0) = 0. \quad 1.2-8$$

In the solution of Eqn. 1.2-8 let ζ_0 be the particular solution and ζ^* be the complimentary solution. Thus, ζ_0 becomes

$$\zeta_0 = -w_0 - \frac{6\mu b^2}{\lambda^4 R}, \quad 1.2-9$$

and the complimentary equation becomes

$$\frac{d^2}{d\gamma^2} \left(\gamma^3 \frac{d^2 \zeta^*}{d\gamma^2} \right) + \lambda^4 \gamma \zeta^* = 0. \quad 1.2-10$$

Eqn. 1.2-10 is of the same form as obtained for the solution of a cylindrical tank with non-uniform wall thickness. Timoshenko⁽¹¹⁾ and Flügge⁽¹²⁾ obtained the following solution to Eqn. 1.2-10:

$$\zeta^* = \frac{1}{\eta} [A \text{ber}'\eta + B \text{bei}'\eta + C \text{ker}'\eta + D \text{kei}'\eta] \quad 1.2-11$$

where η is defined as

$$\eta = 2\lambda\gamma^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

The complete solution may be written as

$$\zeta = \zeta_0 + \zeta^*$$

or after substituting for ζ_0 and ζ^* , ζ becomes

$$\zeta = \frac{1}{\eta} [A \text{ber}'\eta + B \text{bei}'\eta + C \text{ker}'\eta + D \text{kei}'\eta] - w_0 - \frac{6\mu b^2}{\lambda^4 R} \quad 1.2-12$$

where the prime denotes differentiation with respect to η .

The constants of integration A, B, C, and D can be solved from the following four conditions:

$$(a) \quad M_x = \frac{-Et^3}{12(1-\mu^2)} \left[\frac{d^2 w}{dx^2} + \frac{\mu}{R} \right]_{x=b} = 0,$$

$$(b) \quad V_x = \left[Q_x + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (M_{xy}) \right]_{x=b} = 0$$

since $\left[M_{xy} \right]_{x=b} = 0$, (b) reduces to

$$\left[\frac{d^3 w}{dx^3} \right]_{x=b} = 0.$$

(c) from the symmetry of the problem

$$\left[\frac{d\zeta}{dx} \right]_{x=0} = 0, \text{ and}$$

$$(d) \quad \int_{-b}^b N_y dx = 0.$$

The above equations were transformed into non-dimensional form and the constants A, B, C, and D were solved using an IBM 7040/1401 digital computer.

1.3 MOMENT-CURVATURE RELATIONSHIP

By considering moment equilibrium of an elemental strip of width dx , the external moment dM applied to the transverse edge must balance the two internal moments $(M_y)dx$ and $(N_y w)dx$ (Fig. 1.7). Writing the equilibrium equation for Fig. 1.7

$$dM = (M_y)dx + (N_y w)dx$$

$$\text{or } M = 2 \int_0^b (M_y) dx + 2 \int_0^b (N_y w) dx \quad 1.3-1$$

noting that the cross section is symmetrical about the centre line. The internal moment $N_y w$, is the moment per unit width which is induced when the centre line of the cross section is displaced from the centroidal axis by an amount w .

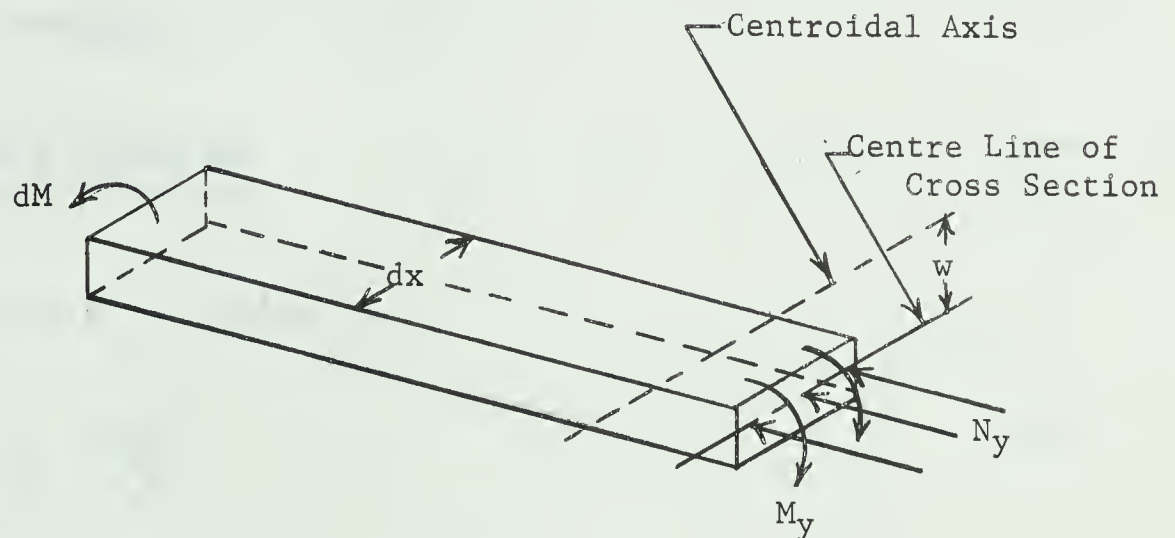


FIG. 1.7 PLATE STRIP

For ease in evaluating Eqn. 1.3-1, it is advantageous to integrate with respect to η .

Since the slope of the transverse deflection curve is small compared to unity, the curvature in the transverse direction can be written as

$$\frac{1}{R_x} = \frac{d^2 w}{dx^2} . \quad \text{Eqn. 1.2-5 shows that } w_0 \text{ is a linear function of } x \text{ and}$$

$w = w_0 + \zeta$ (Eqn. 1.2-4) thus, $1/R_x$ can be written as

$$\frac{1}{R_x} = \frac{d^2 \zeta}{dx^2} . \quad 1.3-2$$

The equation for M_y becomes

$$M_y = \frac{-Et^3}{12(1 - \mu^2)} \left[\frac{1}{R} + \mu \frac{d^2\zeta}{dx^2} \right]. \quad 1.3-3$$

where $\frac{1}{R} \doteq \frac{1}{R_y}$.

Since ζ is a function of η , then by applying the rules of differentiation the following is obtained:

$$\frac{d^2\zeta}{dx^2} = \frac{d^2\zeta}{d\eta^2} \left[\frac{d\eta}{dx} \right]^2 + \frac{d^2\eta}{dx^2} \frac{d\zeta}{d\eta}. \quad 1.3-4$$

Let the equation for ζ be written as

$$\zeta = \frac{1}{\eta} [F'] - w_0 - \frac{6\mu b^2}{\lambda^4 R} \quad 1.3-5$$

where F' is defined as

$$F' = A \operatorname{ber}'\eta + B \operatorname{bei}'\eta + C \operatorname{ker}'\eta + D \operatorname{kei}'\eta. \quad 1.3-6$$

By making appropriate substitutions, Eqn. 1.3-4 becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2\zeta}{dx^2} = & \left[\frac{2}{\eta^3} F' - \frac{2}{\eta^2} F'' + \frac{1}{\eta} F''' - \frac{t_0(1+k)}{2\lambda^2} \right] \left(\frac{2\lambda^2}{b\eta} \right)^2 \\ & + \left[\frac{1}{\eta^2} F' - \frac{1}{\eta} F'' + \frac{\eta t_0(1+k)}{2\lambda^2} \right] \left(\frac{4\lambda^2}{b^2\eta^3} \right). \end{aligned} \quad 1.3-7$$

The double and triple prime of F are the second and third derivatives respectively of F with respect to η .

The membrane force N_y can be calculated from the membrane stress,

yielding

$$N_y = \int_{-\frac{t}{2}}^{\frac{t}{2}} \sigma_y dz' \quad 1.3-8$$

where z' is measured from the center line of the cross section and t is the thickness of the plate at the point under consideration. Evaluation of Eqn. 1.3-8 yields

$$N_y = \frac{-Etw}{R_y}$$

but, since $R_y \doteq R$ then

$$N_y = \frac{-Etw}{R} . \quad 1.3-9$$

From Eqns. 1.3-1, 1.3-3, 1.3-7, and 1.3-9, the following was obtained:

$$M = \frac{Ebt_o^3}{96\lambda^8(1-\mu^2)} \int_{\alpha}^{\epsilon} \left[\frac{\eta^7}{R} + \frac{4\mu\lambda^4}{b^2} (3\eta^2 F' - 3\eta^3 F'' + \eta^4 F''') \right] d\eta \\ + \frac{bEt_o}{2\lambda^4 R} \int_{\alpha}^{\epsilon} \eta^3 \left[\frac{1}{\eta} F' - \frac{6\mu b^2}{\lambda^4 R} \right]^2 d\eta . \quad 1.3-10$$

The limits of integration ϵ and α are obtained from the relationship

$$\eta = 2\lambda(1 - \frac{x}{b} + \beta)^{\frac{1}{2}} .$$

The original limits of integration were $x = b$ and $x = 0$. Due to the transformation this yields $\eta = 2\lambda\beta^{\frac{1}{2}}$ and $\eta = 2\lambda(1 + \beta)^{\frac{1}{2}}$ respectively.

For simplicity ϵ and α are defined as

$$\epsilon = 2\lambda(\beta)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\text{and } \alpha = 2\lambda(1 + \beta)^{\frac{1}{2}} .$$

Integration⁽¹³⁾ of Eqn. 1.3-10 leads to the following:

$$\begin{aligned}
M = & \left\langle \frac{E b t_0^3}{96 \lambda^8 (1 - \mu^2)} \left\{ \frac{\eta^8}{8R} + \right. \right. \\
& \frac{4 \mu \lambda^4}{b^2} \left[A(\eta^4 \text{ber}' \eta - 7\eta^3 \text{ber}' \eta + 24\eta^2 \text{ber} \eta - 48\eta \text{bei}' \eta) \right. \\
& + B(\eta^4 \text{bei}' \eta - 7\eta^3 \text{bei}' \eta + 24\eta^2 \text{bei} \eta + 48\eta \text{ber}' \eta) \\
& + C(\eta^4 \text{ker}' \eta - 7\eta^3 \text{ker}' \eta + 24\eta^2 \text{ker} \eta - 48\eta \text{kei}' \eta) \\
& \left. \left. + D(\eta^4 \text{kei}' \eta - 7\eta^3 \text{kei}' \eta + 24\eta^2 \text{kei} \eta + 48\eta \text{ker}' \eta) \right] \right\} \\
& + \frac{E b t_0}{2 \lambda^4 R} \left\{ \frac{A^2 + B^2}{2} \eta (\text{ber}_1 \eta \text{bei}_1' \eta - \text{ber}_1' \eta \text{bei}_1 \eta) \right. \\
& + \frac{A^2 - B^2}{4} \eta^2 (2 \text{ber}_1 \eta \text{bei}_1 \eta - \text{ber} \eta \text{bei}_2' \eta - \text{ber}_2 \eta \text{bei} \eta) \\
& + \frac{C^2 + D^2}{2} \eta (\text{ker}_1 \eta \text{kei}_1' \eta - \text{ker}_1' \eta \text{kei}_1 \eta) \\
& + \frac{C^2 - D^2}{4} \eta^2 (2 \text{ker}_1 \eta \text{kei}_1 \eta - \text{ker} \eta \text{kei}_2' \eta - \text{ker}_2 \eta \text{kei} \eta) \\
& - \frac{AB}{2} \eta^2 (\text{ber}_1^2 \eta - \text{ber} \eta \text{ber}_2 \eta - \text{bei}_1^2 \eta + \text{bei} \eta \text{bei}_2 \eta) \\
& - \frac{CD}{2} \eta^2 (\text{ker}_1^2 \eta - \text{ker} \eta \text{ker}_2 \eta - \text{kei}_1^2 \eta + \text{kei} \eta \text{kei}_2 \eta) \\
& - \frac{AC + BD}{2} \eta (\text{ber}_1' \eta \text{kei}_1 \eta - \text{ber}_1 \eta \text{kei}_1' \eta - \text{bei}_1' \eta \text{ker}_1 \eta + \text{bei}_1 \eta \text{ker}_1' \eta) \\
& - \frac{AD - BC}{2} \eta (\text{ker}_1' \eta \text{ber}_1 \eta - \text{ker}_1 \eta \text{ber}_1' \eta + \text{kei}_1' \eta \text{bei}_1 \eta - \text{kei}_1 \eta \text{bei}_1' \eta) \\
& + \frac{AC - BD}{4} \eta^2 (2 \text{ber}_1 \eta \text{kei}_1 \eta - \text{ber} \eta \text{kei}_2' \eta - \text{ber}_2 \eta \text{kei} \eta \\
& \quad + 2 \text{bei}_1 \eta \text{ker}_1 \eta - \text{bei} \eta \text{ker}_2' \eta - \text{bei}_2 \eta \text{ker} \eta) \\
& + \frac{AD + BC}{4} \eta^2 (2 \text{bei}_1 \eta \text{kei}_1 \eta - \text{bei} \eta \text{kei}_2' \eta - \text{bei}_2 \eta \text{kei} \eta \\
& \quad - 2 \text{ber}_1 \eta \text{ker}_1 \eta + \text{ber} \eta \text{ker}_2' \eta + \text{ber}_2 \eta \text{ker} \eta) \\
& - \frac{12 \mu b^2}{\lambda^4 R} \left[A(\eta^2 \text{ber} \eta - 2\eta \text{bei}' \eta) + B(\eta^2 \text{bei} \eta + 2\eta \text{ber}' \eta) \right. \\
& \quad \left. + C(\eta^2 \text{ker} \eta - 2\eta \text{kei}' \eta) + D(\eta^2 \text{kei} \eta + 2\eta \text{ker}' \eta) \right] \\
& \left. + \frac{9 \mu^2 b^4 \eta^4}{\lambda^8 R^2} \right\} \Bigg|_{\eta=\alpha}^{\eta=\epsilon}
\end{aligned}$$

where the subscripts on the preceeding Bessel functions indicate the order of the function. No subscript indicates a Bessel function of order zero. The solution to Eqn. 1.3-11 was obtained using an IBM 7040/1401 digital computer. Details of this solution along with the solution for the constants of integration appear in Appendix A.

1.4 DISCUSSION OF THEORETICAL RESULTS

Theoretical curves for the moment-curvature relationship were obtained for different parameter variations. The effect on the moment-curvature relationship when k was increased while other parameters were held constant is shown in Fig. 1.8 when the plate was turned upside down (concave side down). As k was increased, the slope of the curves increased sharply due to the increased plate stiffness, however, a maximum moment was reached after which the moment decreased for an increase in curvature. The point of instability was reached when the effect of the membrane and transverse bending forces were large enough to flatten out the cross section of the plate. As the camber decreased due to the increased loads, the plate began to act as a flat plate. Theoretically, for large curvatures, the moment-curvature relationships for different k values should approach the case where $k = 0$. This is shown to be the result in Fig. 1.8.

In Fig. 1.9, moment-curvature relationships were plotted for the case when the plate was bent with the concave side up. In the cross section used in Fig. 1.8, the membrane forces and the transverse bending action are both acting to distort the section anti-elastically. When the plate had the concave side up (Fig. 1.9), the

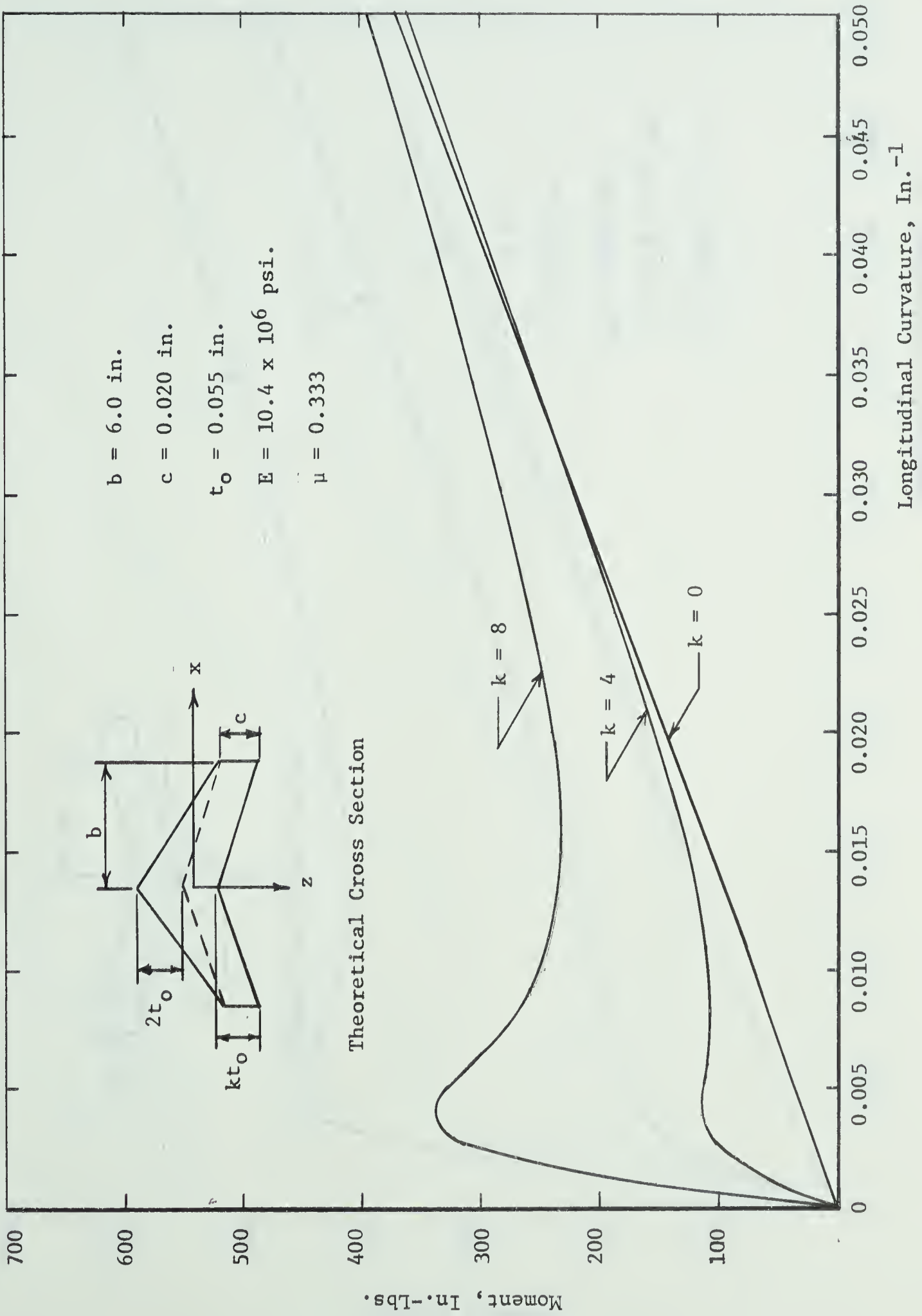


FIG. 1.8 THEORETICAL MOMENT-CURVATURE RELATIONSHIPS FOR VARIATION IN k
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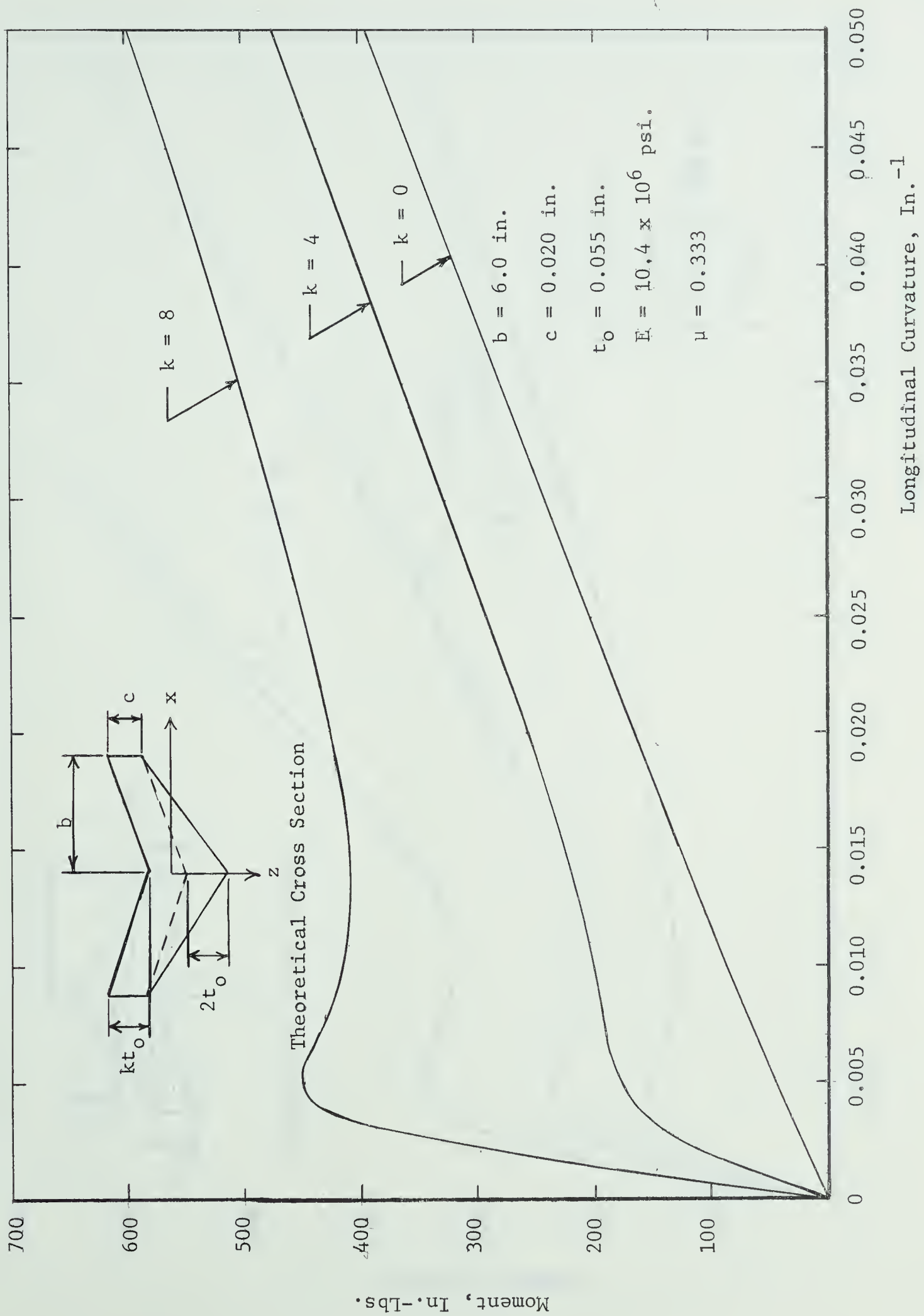


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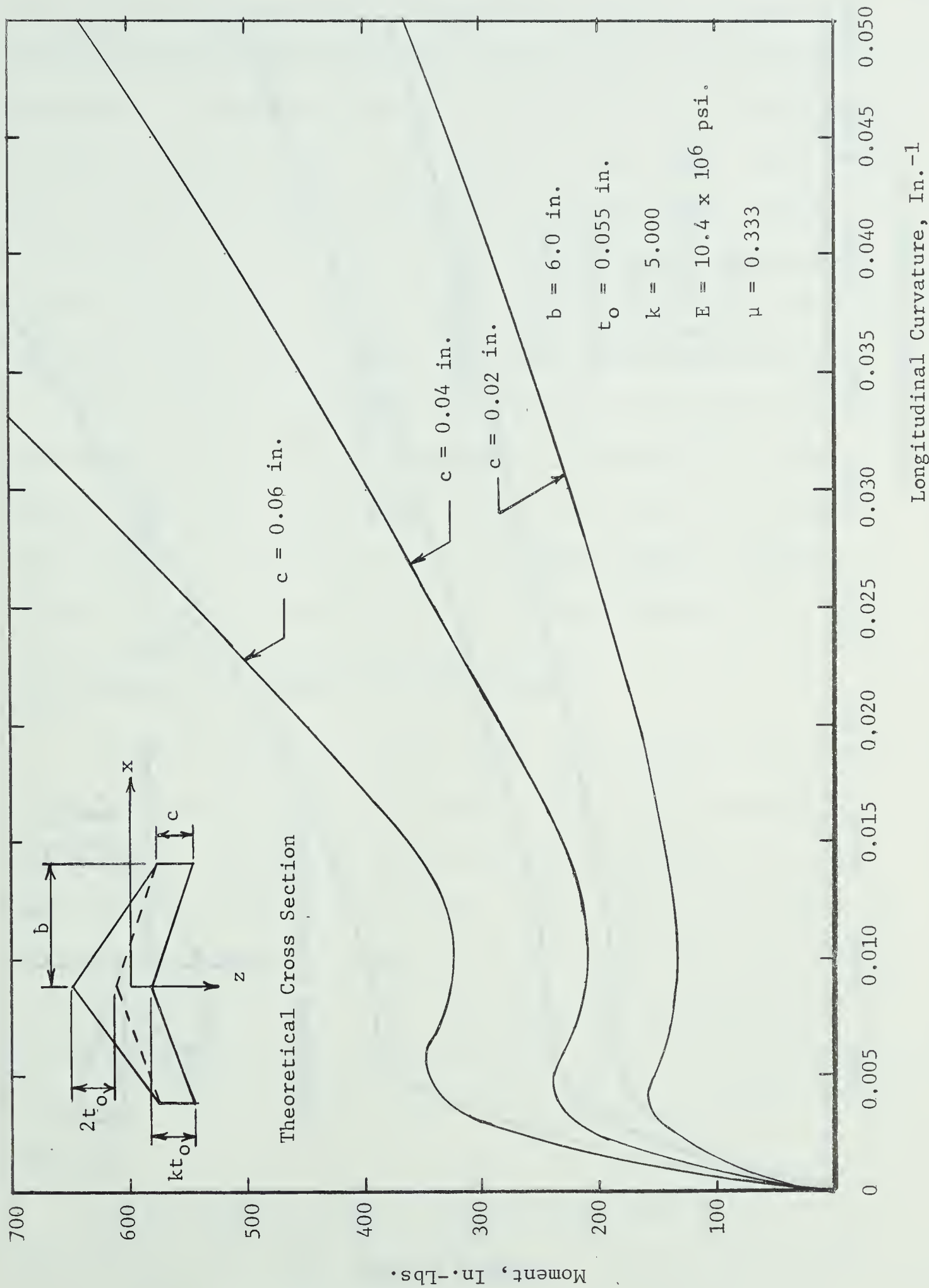


FIG. 1.10 THEORETICAL MOMENT-CURVATURE RELATIONSHIPS FOR VARIATION IN c
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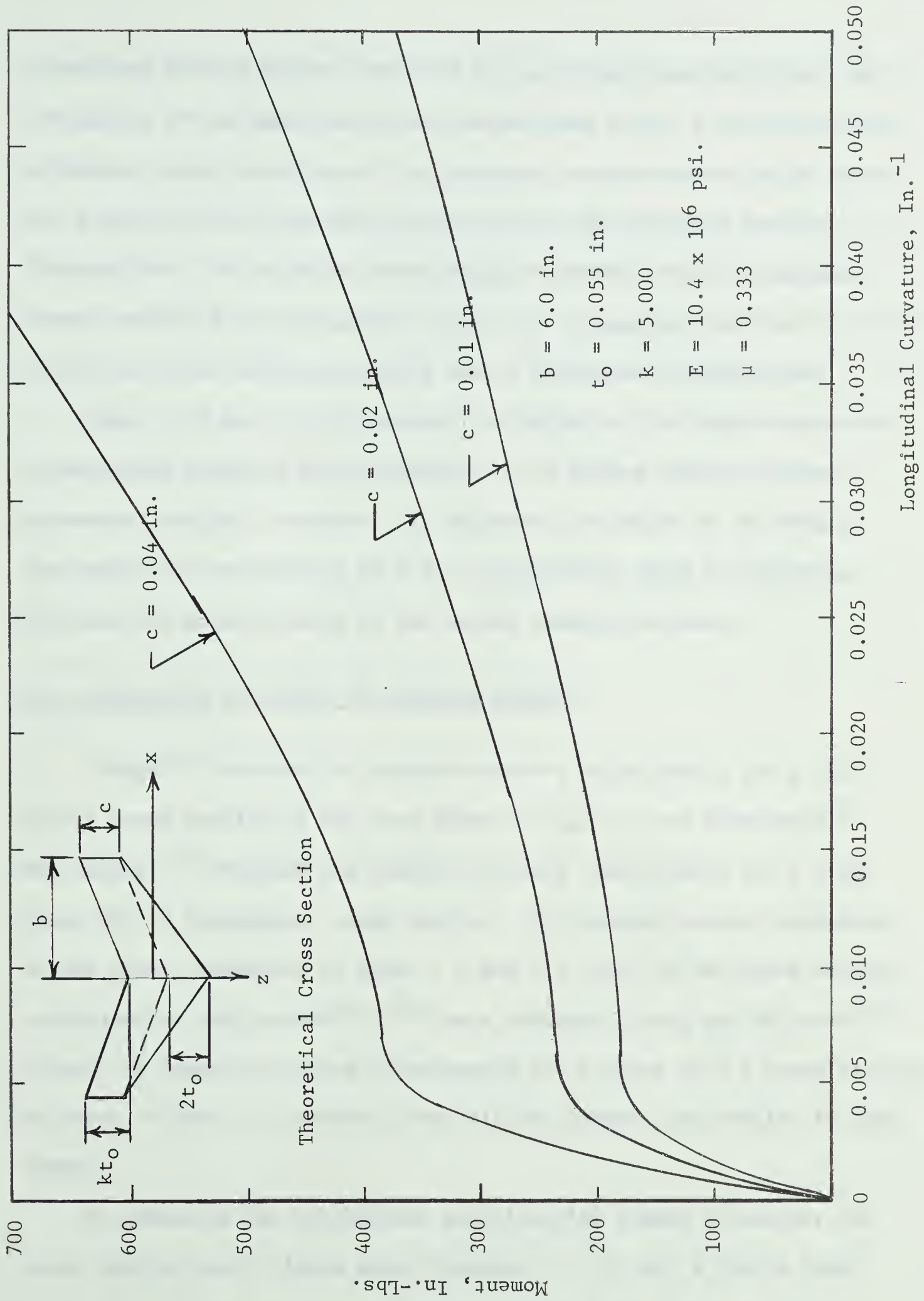


FIG. 1.11 THEORETICAL MOMENT-CURVATURE RELATIONSHIPS FOR VARIATION IN c
(CONCAVE SIDE UP)

transverse bending action distorted the plate anticlastically but the components of the membrane forces counteracted this. A critical point is reached when the effect of the membrane forces becomes larger than the effect of the transverse bending action and the cross section flattens out. It is due to these opposite effects that the maximum moment reached for this section (Fig. 1.9) is greater than for Fig. 1.8 before the cross section distorts into a flattened configuration.

Figs. 1.10 and 1.11 illustrate the effect on the moment-curvature relationship when the edge thickness, c , is varied while the other parameters are held constant. As expected, the value of the moment increases with an increase in c for a particular value of curvature, although the general shape of the curves remains the same.

1.5 COMPARISON OF THEORY TO PREVIOUS RESULTS

Flügge⁽³⁾ obtained the moment-curvature relationship for a plate with a cross section of the type shown in Fig. 1.1 and Timoshenko⁽²⁾ and Searle⁽¹⁴⁾ obtained the moment-curvature relationship for a flat plate with a rectangular cross section. By changing certain parameters in the theory developed in Secs. 1.2 and 1.3, both of the cross sections considered by the authors^(2,3,14) were obtained. Fung and Wittrick⁽⁶⁾ stated the moment-curvature relationship for a plate with a cross section as shown in Fig. 1.2, however, they did not present any results in their paper.

In comparing the theoretical solution with Flügge's results, the cross section had a finite edge thickness, $c > 0$, and a finite taper $t_0 > 0$. The cross section and the results are shown in Fig. 1.12.

The theoretical solution was obtained by setting $k = 0$. Flügge's results and linear theory shown are only approximate as they were obtained from a graph.

In comparing the developed theory with the theory for a plate with a rectangular cross section, t_0 and k have to be set equal to zero. As t_0 approaches zero, λ approaches infinity and no solution can be obtained. For comparison, t_0 was decreased to about 10 percent of the edge thickness. The cross section considered and the comparison is shown in Fig. 1.13. It is evident that if t_0 approached zero the two theories would yield the same results.

Figs. 1.12 and 1.13 indicate that agreement between different solutions is good. In the following sections, experimental verification is presented for plates with different variations of the cross section as shown in Fig. 1.5.

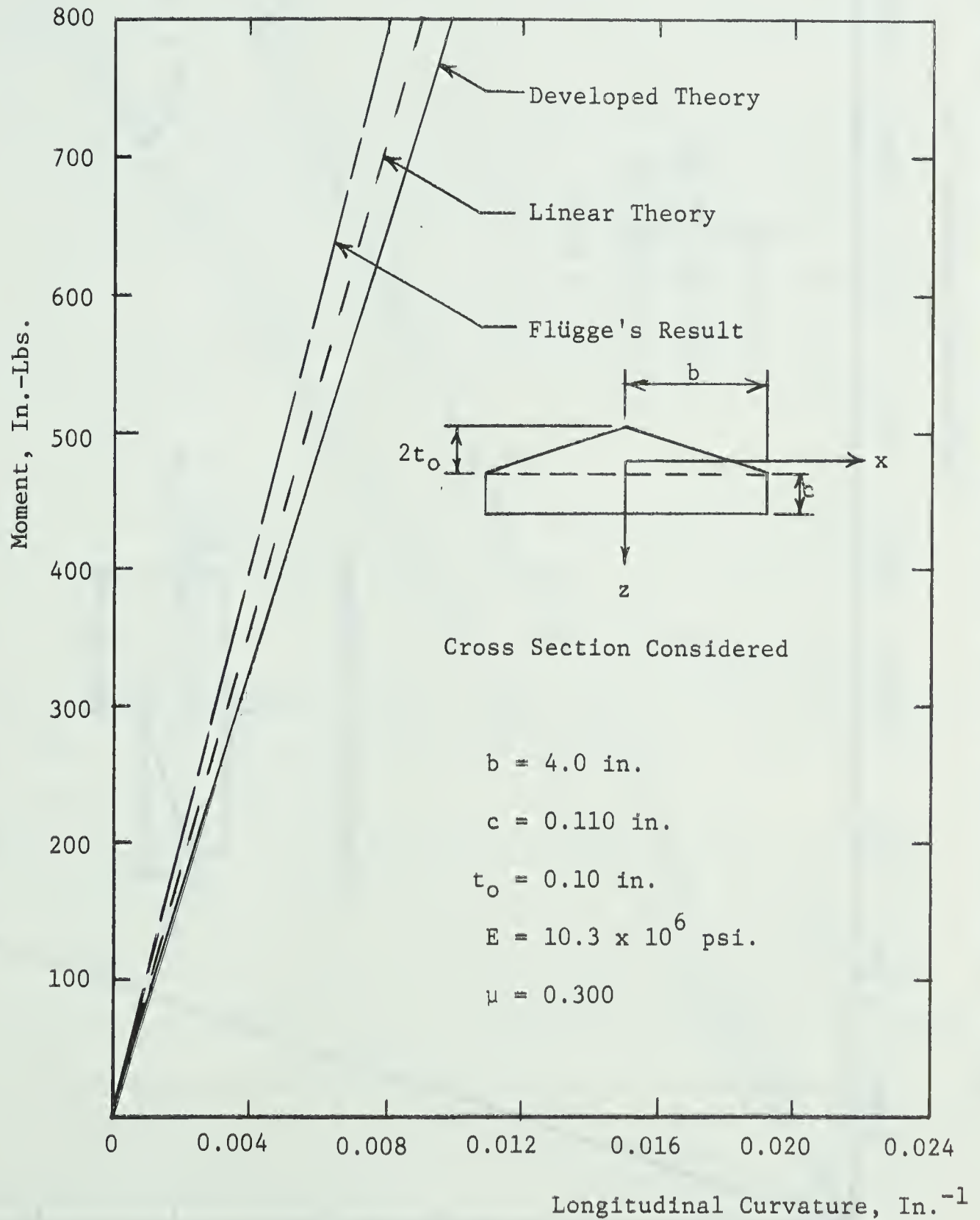


FIG. 1.12

COMPARISON OF THEORY WITH PREVIOUS WORK FOR BITRAPEZOIDAL CROSS SECTION

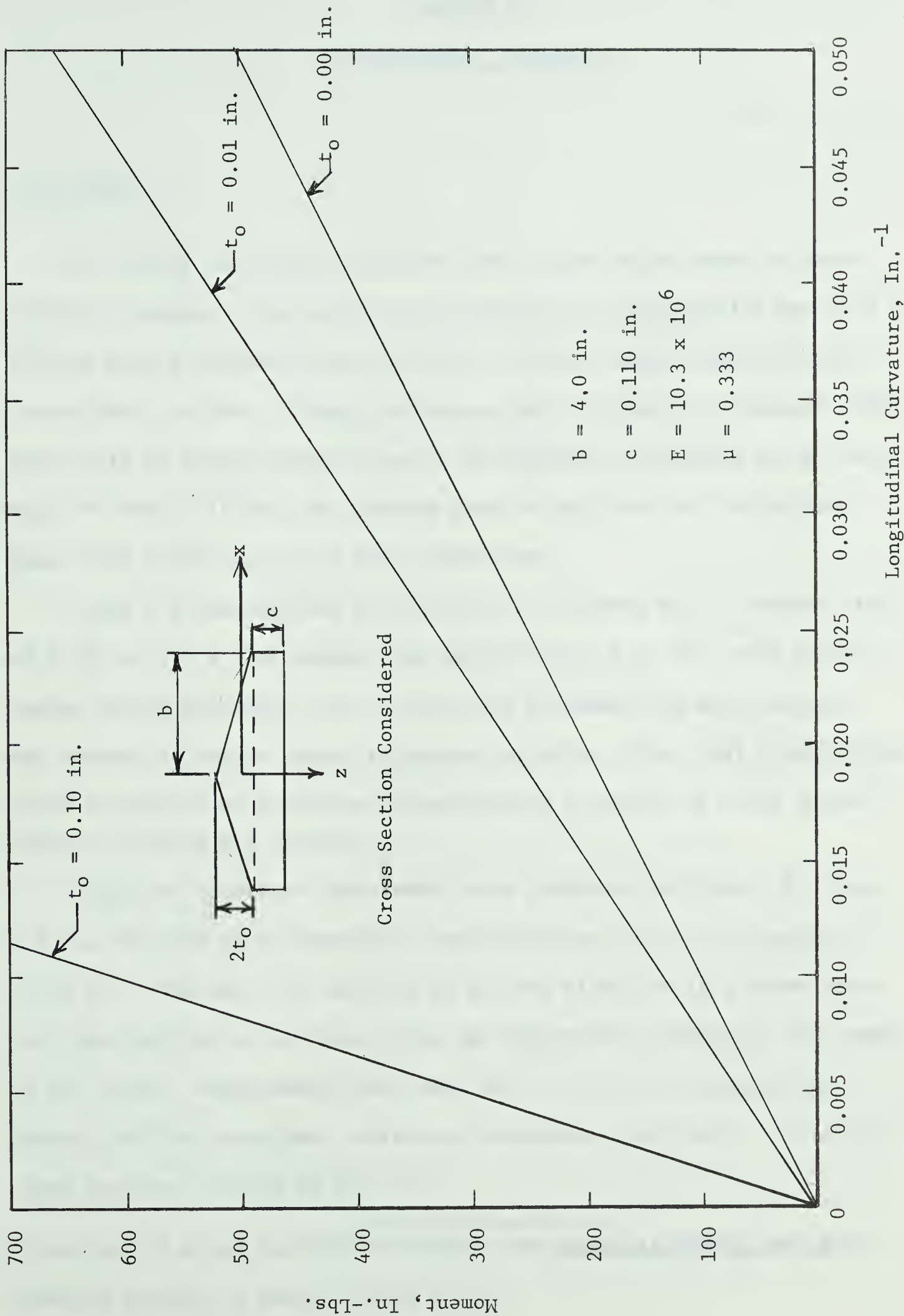


FIG. 1.13 COMPARISON WITH LINEAR THEORY FOR A RECTANGULAR CROSS SECTION PLATE

CHAPTER II

EXPERIMENTAL APPARATUS2.1 PLATES

The plates tested were machined from a flat rolled sheet of Alcoa 7075-T6* Aluminum. The modulus of elasticity of this material was 10.4×10^6 psi with a Poisson's ratio of 0.333. With a lower modulus of elasticity than for steel, higher curvatures were obtained with smaller loads than would be possible using steel. The density of aluminum being lower than for steel, allowed an aluminum plate to act more as a weightless plate than a steel plate of equal dimensions.

Plate I-A was machined from a sheet of aluminum with a nominal size of 0.125 x 12.0 x 67.0 inches. As shown in Fig. 2.1, the cross section warped during machining. For calculation purposes, the cross section was assumed to have a linear thickness variation. The final cross section could be bent to an approximate longitudinal curvature of $0.100 \text{ inches}^{-1}$ without yielding the material.

After the necessary experiments were performed on Plate I-A, Plate I-B was obtained by performing a "controlled bend" along the length of Plate I-A. The bend was obtained by placing Plate I-A in a press brake and then applying a line load along the centre line throughout the length of the plate. Measurements were made after every load increment to ensure that the plate bent uniformly throughout its length. The final cross section is shown in Fig. 2.2.

*Properties of alloy used were obtained from Alcoa Structural Hand Book Aluminum Company of America 1956, p. 35.

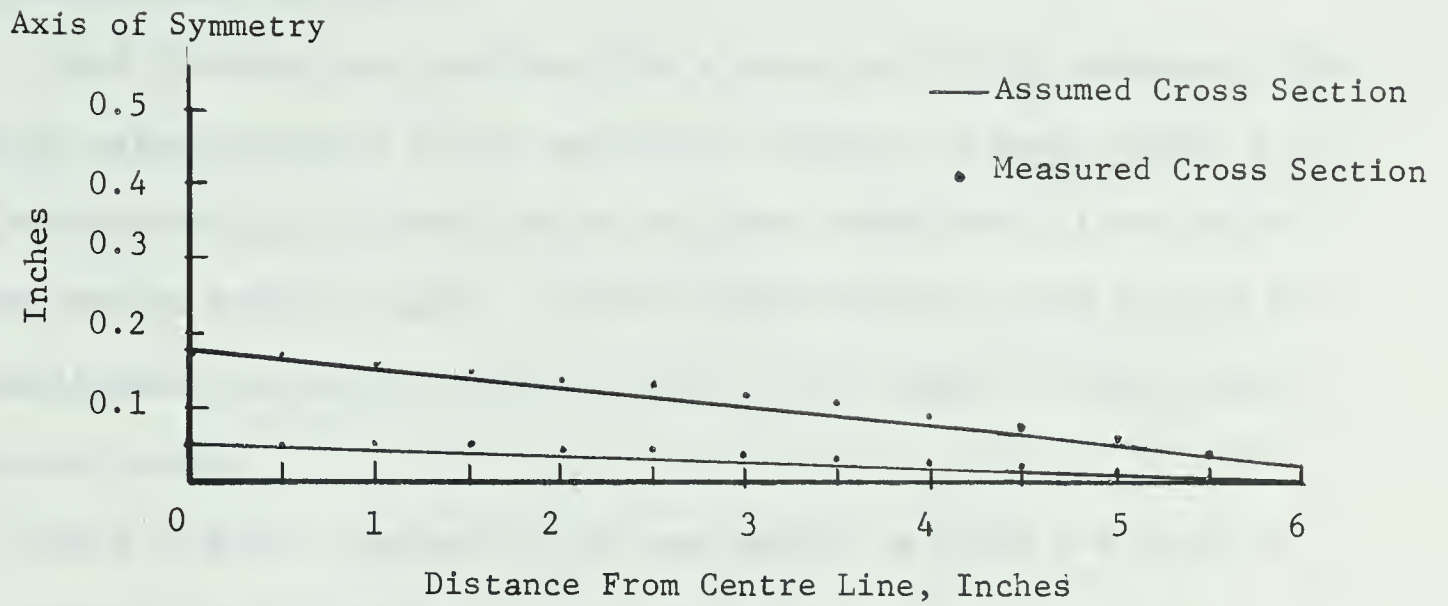


FIG. 2.1 CROSS SECTION OF PLATE I-A

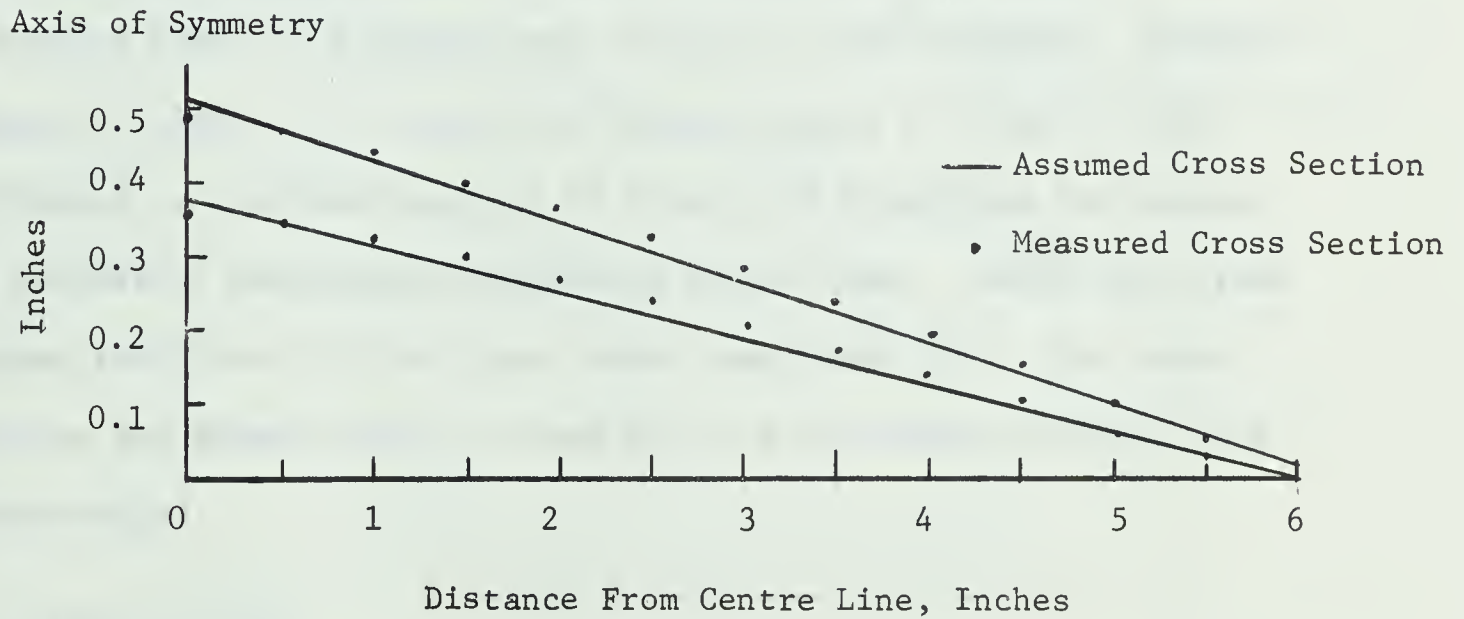


FIG. 2.2 CROSS SECTION OF PLATE I-B

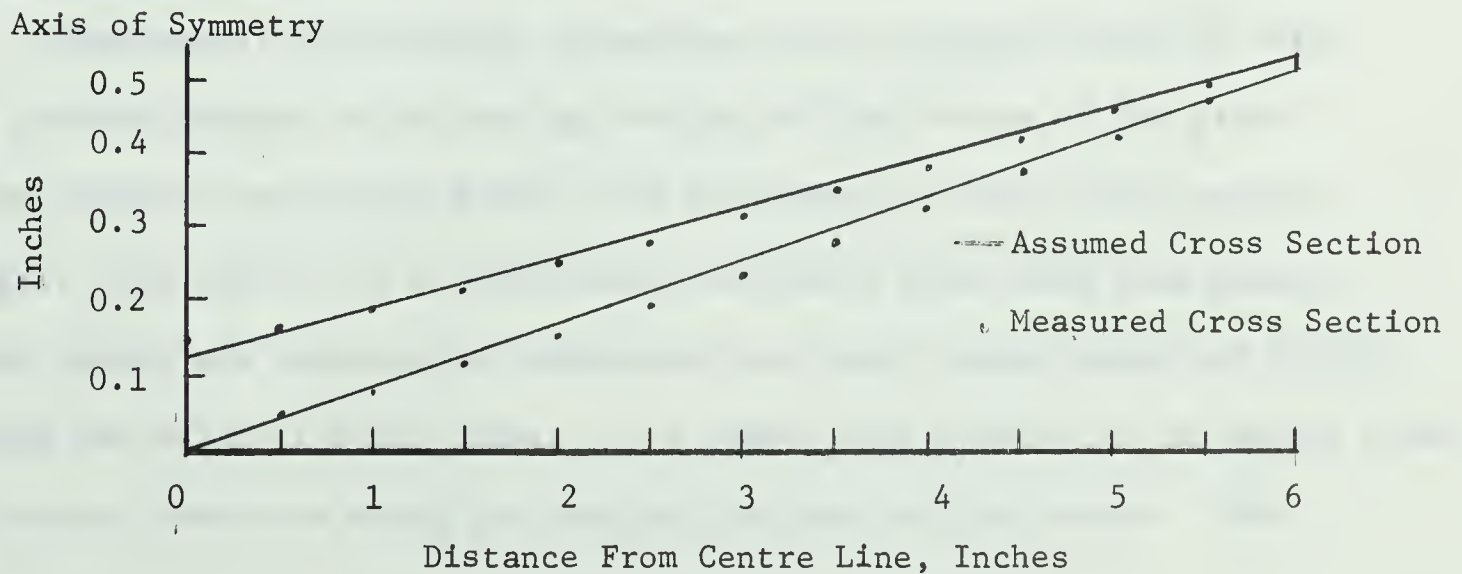


FIG. 2.3 CROSS SECTION OF PLATE I-C

Plate I-C was obtained by turning Plate I-B upside down. The cross section is shown in Fig. 2.3.

Plate II-A was also machined from a sheet of 7075-T6 aluminum. The section warped slightly during machining; however, as seen in Fig. 2.4, the warping was quite linear and an accurate description of the actual cross section could be made. The final cross section could be bent to a longitudinal curvature of approximately $0.054 \text{ inches}^{-1}$ before yielding would occur.

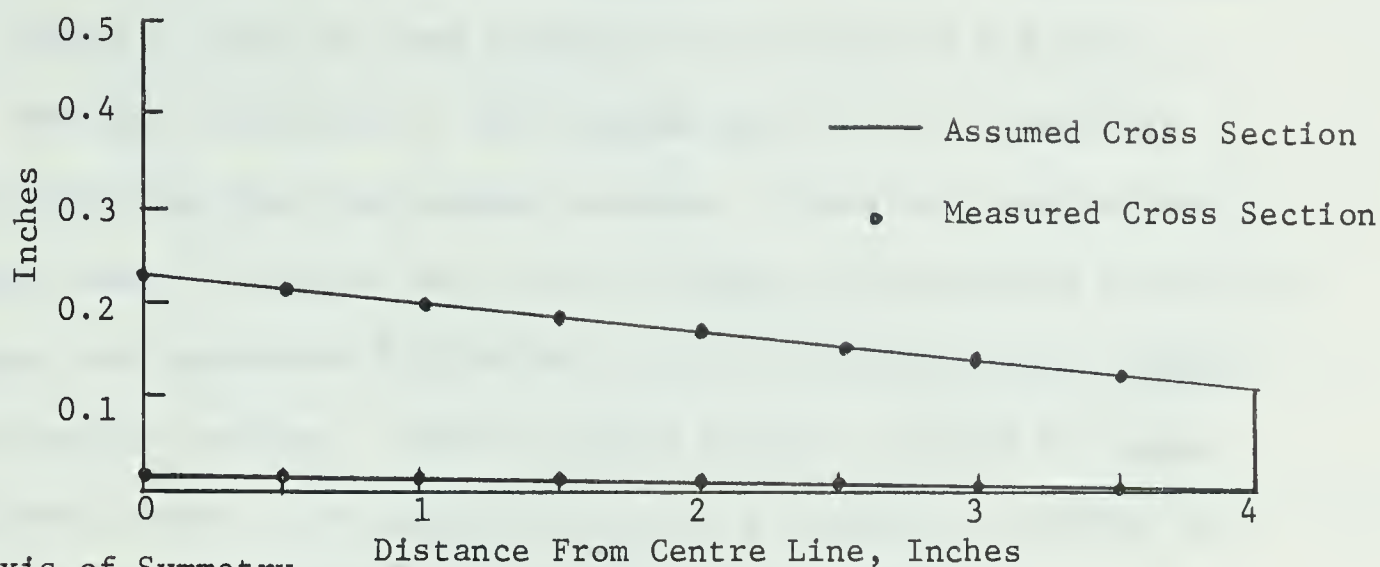
Plate II-B was obtained in the same manner as Plate I-B (i.e. by performing a "controlled bend" along the length of the plate).

By turning Plate II-B upside down, Plate II-C was obtained. The difference in some of the dimensions between Plates II-B and II-C are attributed to the cross section of Plate II-B flattening out during the process of performing experiments on the Plate. Hence, the cross section for Plate II-C had less camber than Plate II-B. The cross sections are shown in Fig. 2.5 and Fig. 2.6 for Plates II-B and II-C respectively.

2.2 STRAIN GAUGES

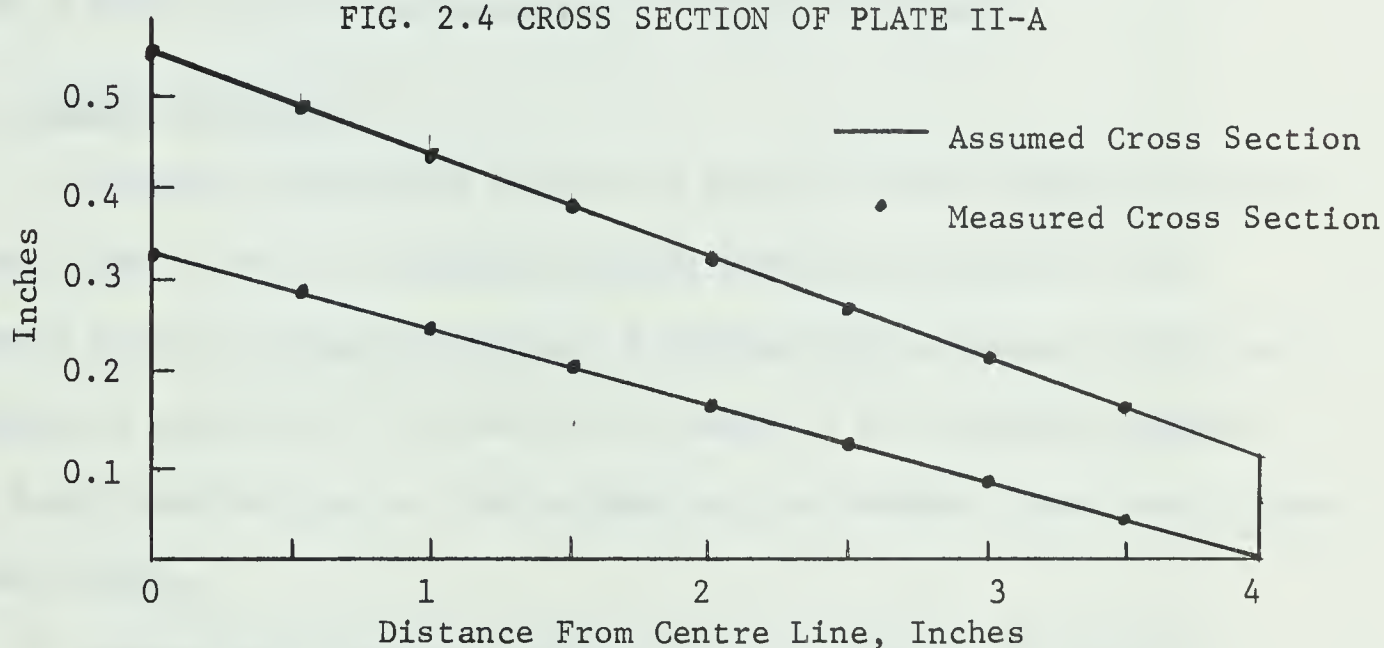
Experimental longitudinal curvatures were calculated from the bending strains induced in the top and bottom surface fibres of the plate. These strains were measured with Budd Instruments type C12-121 strain gauges. The C12-121 is an electrical resistance metal film type gauge. These gauges are temperature compensated and have a gauge length of 0.122 inches and width of 0.125 inches. The gauges were mounted on the centre line at various positions along the longitudinal axes of the plates. (See

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FIG. 2.4 CROSS SECTION OF PLATE II-A



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FIG. 2.5 CROSS SECTION OF PLATE II-B

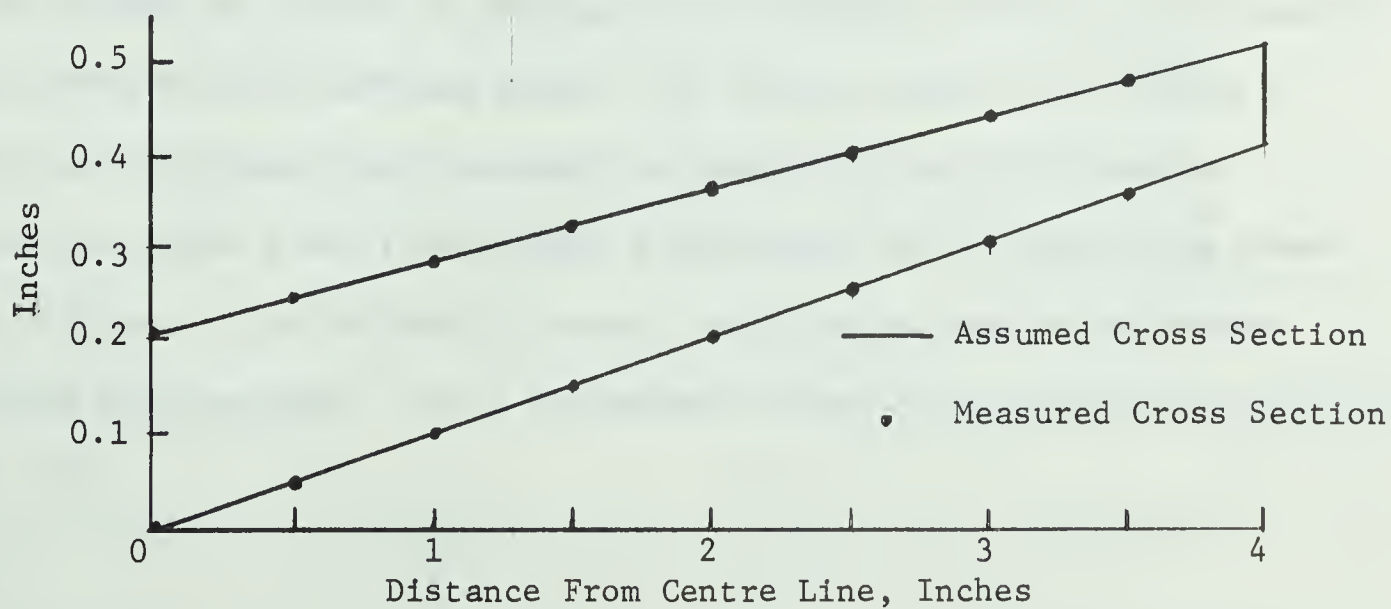


FIG. 2.6 CROSS SECTION OF PLATE II-C

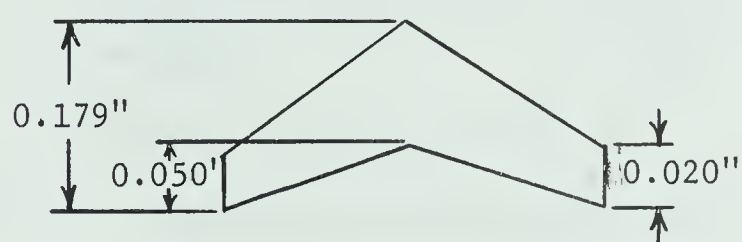
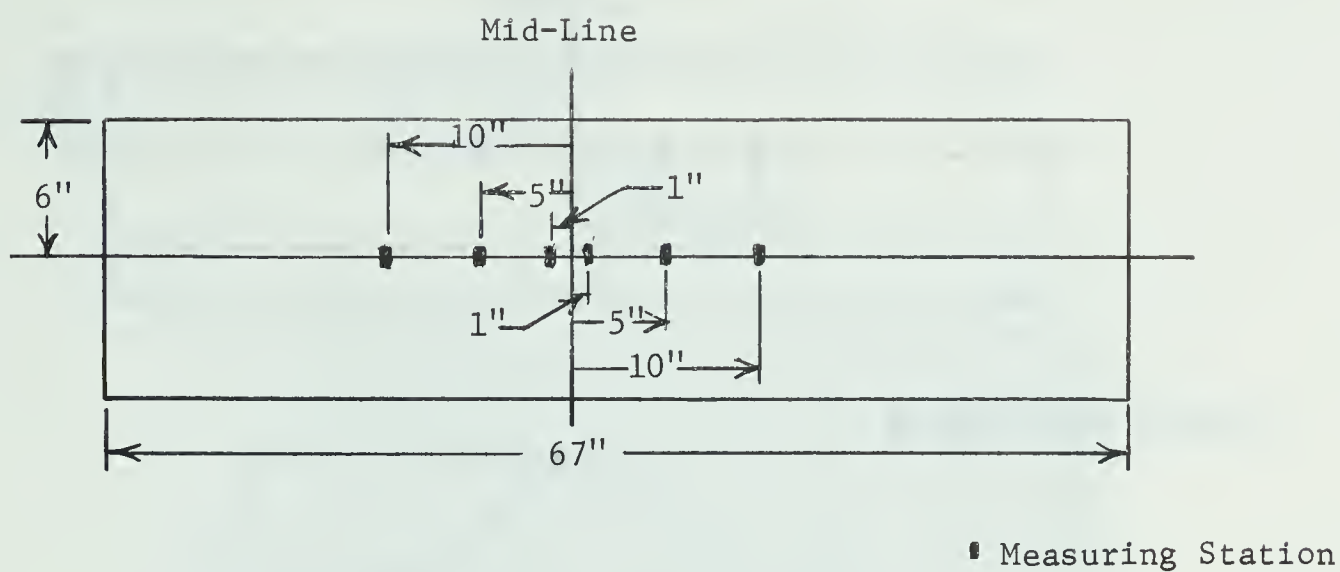
Fig. 2.7, 2.8, 2.9, 2.10). The mounting was such that the top gauges were directly above the ones mounted on the bottom of the plate.

Two main advantages of these gauges were the low transverse sensitivity and the thin backing material. Since the longitudinal strains were of interest only, then by using low transverse sensitivity gauges, the transverse strains had very little effect on the longitudinal strain readings. Thinner backing material allowed the gauge to be placed closer to the surface for which a reading is desired, and hence, a more accurate surface strain could be obtained.

2.3 LOADING APPARATUS

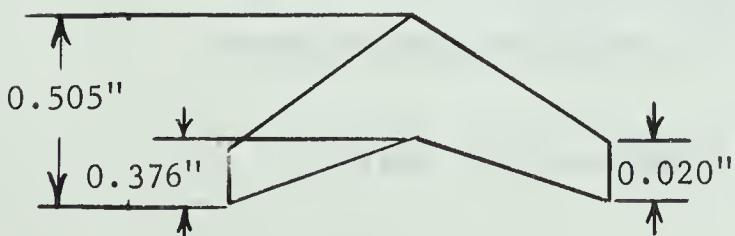
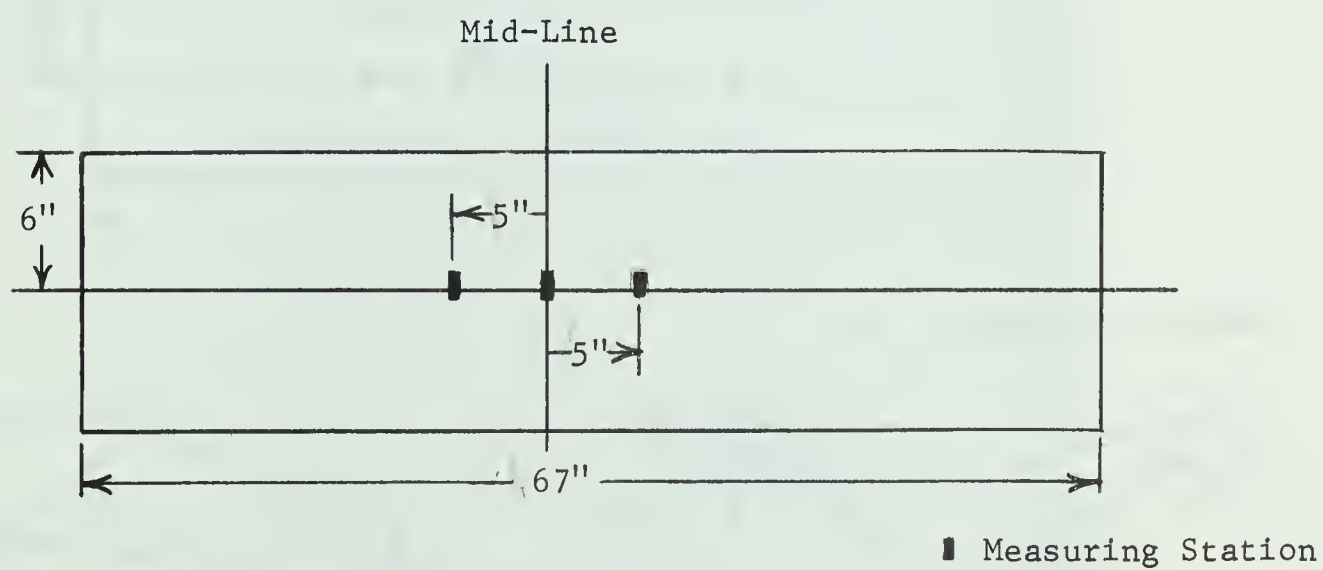
A uniformly distributed moment was applied to the transverse ends of the plate by means of bolting the two ends of the plate to two separate one-inch diameter shafts. A fifteen-inch diameter pulley was fastened to each end of the shaft. By means of wire cables, hangers were hung from the rims of the pulleys and the desired loads were placed on the hangers.

To reduce the frictional effects at the supports, the shaft-pulley system was placed on bearings. The bearings rested on two channels whose surfaces were machined smooth. To further reduce the effects of friction, after each load increment was applied, the shaft-bearing system was given a small horizontal displacement on the supporting channels and then it was allowed to come to equilibrium before any strain readings were recorded. For a photographic view of the apparatus, see Fig. 2.11.

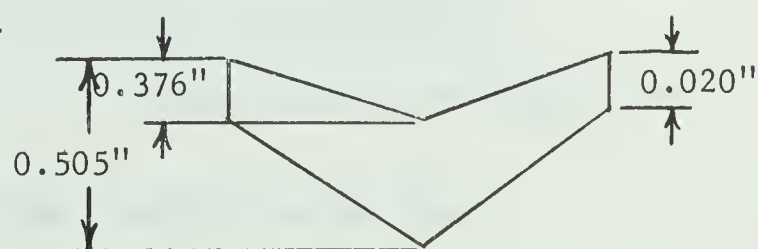


Cross Section of Plate I-A

FIG. 2.7 MEASURING STATION FOR PLATE I-A



Cross Section of Plate I-B



Cross Section of Plate I-C

FIG. 2.8 MEASURING STATIONS FOR PLATES I-B AND I-C

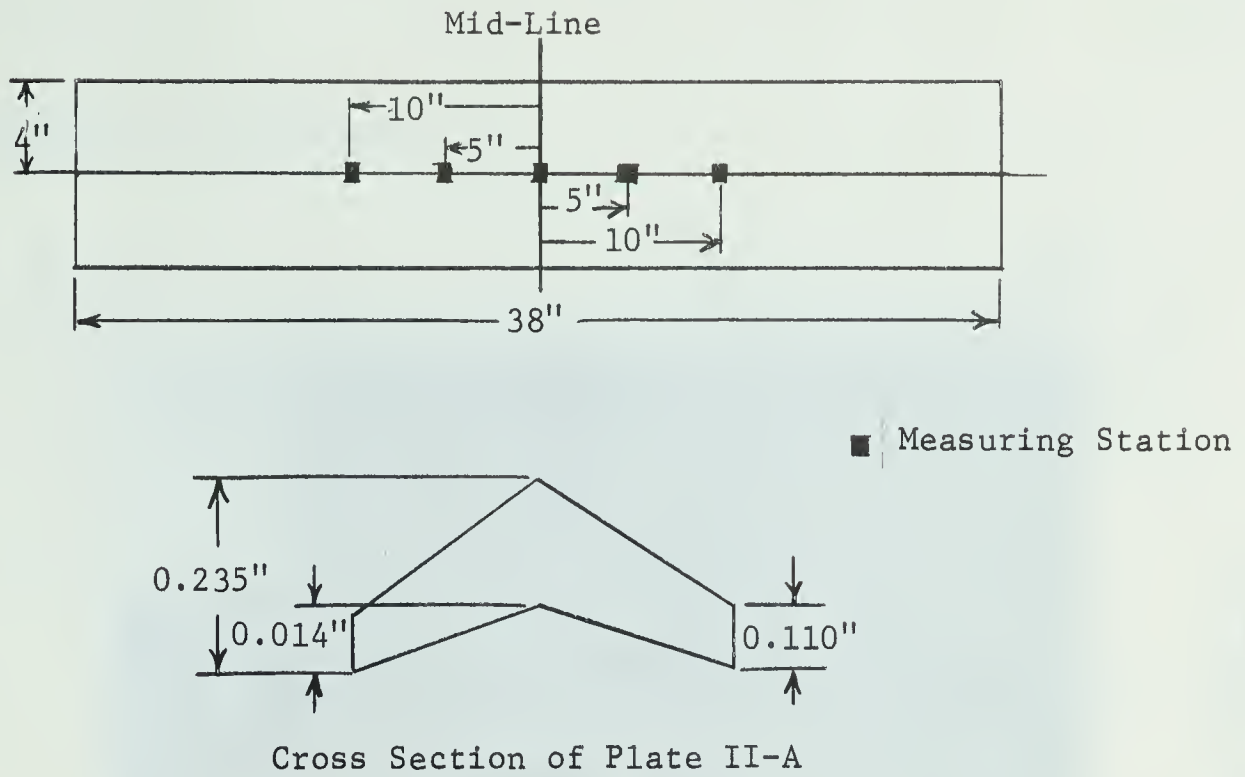


FIG. 2.9 MEASURING STATIONS FOR PLATE II-A

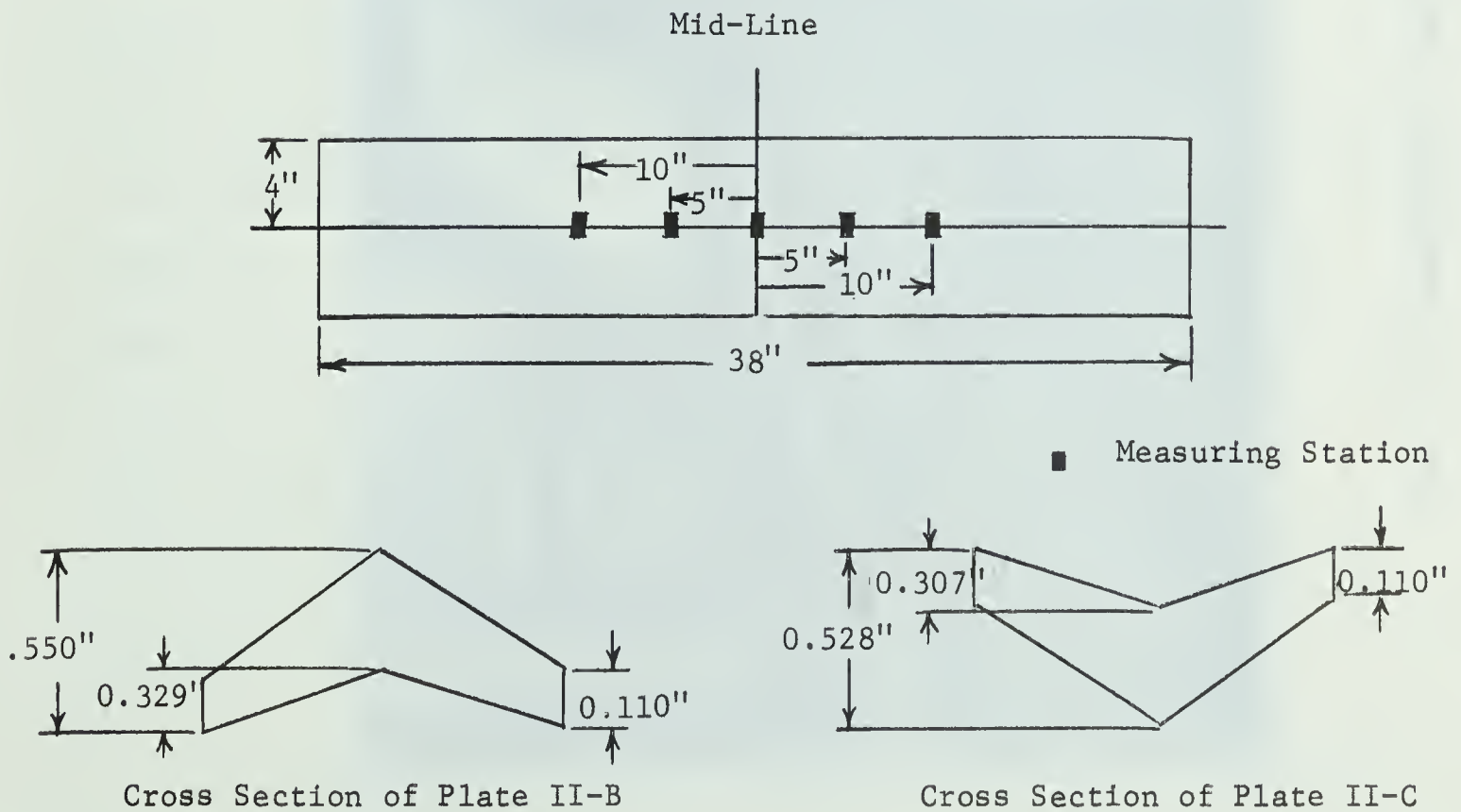


FIG. 2.10 MEASURING STATIONS FOR PLATES II-B AND II-C

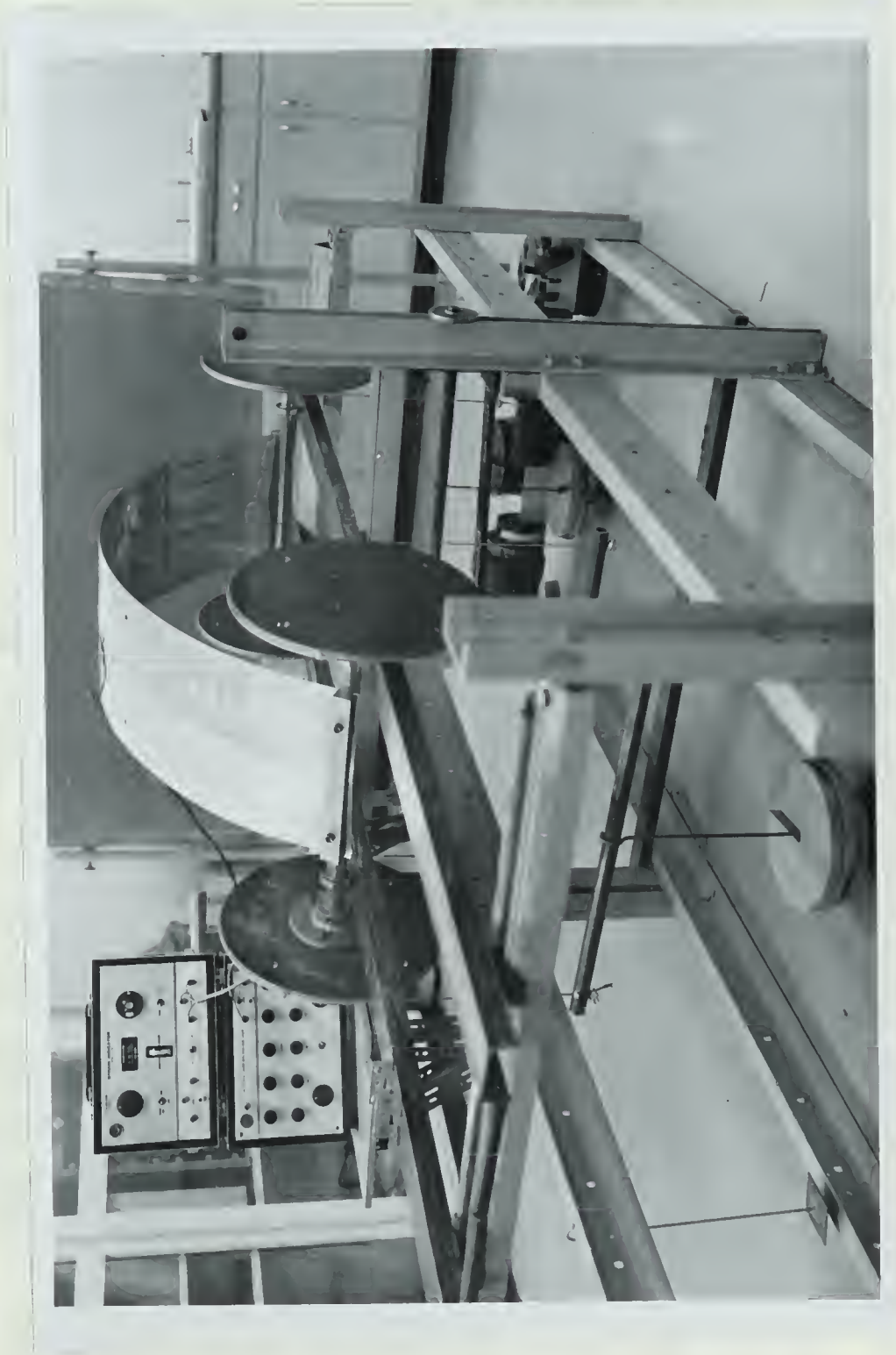


FIG. 2.11 PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEW OF LOADING APPARATUS

2.4 MEASUREMENT OF CURVATURE

The longitudinal curvatures were calculated from the strains induced in the top and bottom fibres of the plate. A BLH switching and balancing unit was used to switch from one measuring station to the next and a BLH strain indicator was used to read the strains.

For a plate in pure bending, it can be shown that

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{-2(e_i)_B}{t_i} \quad 2.4-1$$

where $(e_i)_B$ = bending strain at x_i

and t_i = thickness of the plate at x_i .

However, when a plate is bent into a longitudinal curvature such that axial strains are developed in addition to bending strains, it becomes necessary to eliminate the axial strains before the curvatures can be calculated. The axial strains were eliminated by having the gauges wired in series such that the strains at the top of the plate and the strains directly at the bottom of the plate were additive giving a double output of the actual strain on the top or bottom surface. Defining the double output of the bending strain as e_B and substituting this value for $2(e_i)_B$ in Eqn. 2.4-1 the curvature becomes

$$\frac{1}{R} = \frac{-e_B}{t_i} \quad 2.4-2$$

Using Eqn. 2.4-2, a computer program was written to evaluate curvatures from the strain gauge readings (see Appendix B). Knowing both the moment and the corresponding curvature, the experimental curves were plotted.

2.5 TESTING PROCEDURE

The testing procedure used for all six plates was essentially the same. Initially, a flat support was inserted under the plate. With the flat support in place, the strain gauges were zeroed. Then the flat support was removed, allowing the plate to sag due to its own weight. Loads were then applied in desired increments. The applied load and the strain readings were recorded for each measuring station. After the maximum load had been applied, all the load was removed and the flat support was reinserted under the plate so that the zero readings could be checked.

CHAPTER III

EXPERIMENTAL AND THEORETICAL RESULTS3.1 REMARKS ON EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

Three different sets of strain gauge readings were obtained for each measuring station. The variation in strain for any given curvature was small, it was decided that an average obtained from three sets of readings was sufficient to establish the experimental curve. Each experimental plate was symmetrical about its longitudinal axis and the measuring stations were placed along this axis. Since the minimum number of stations on any plate was three and the maximum was six, this gave a minimum number of nine and a maximum of eighteen different readings being averaged for each point plotted.

3.2 COMPARISON BETWEEN EXPERIMENTAL AND THEORETICAL RESULTS

In the development of the theory, it was assumed that the plate was weightless; hence, when the experimental and theoretical moments were compared for a particular longitudinal curvature, it was necessary to subtract from the applied moment the moment due to the weight of the plate. It can be seen from Fig. 3.1 that the weight per unit horizontal distance varies with the distance from the mid-line at a particular longitudinal curvature. This variation must be accounted for in the correction moment. By summing moments about a section p units from the mid-line, the correction moment due to the weight of the plate can be shown to be

$$M_1 = qL(a - p) + qR \left[\sqrt{R^2 - a^2} - \sqrt{R^2 - p^2} + p \left(\arcsin \frac{a}{R} - \arcsin \frac{p}{R} \right) \right]$$

where M_1 = correction moment,
 q = weight per unit length of plate,
 p = horizontal distance from mid-line to section
 where correction moment is desired,
 R = longitudinal radius of curvature (average R),
 L = one-half the total length of plate, and
 a = one-half the distance between supports.

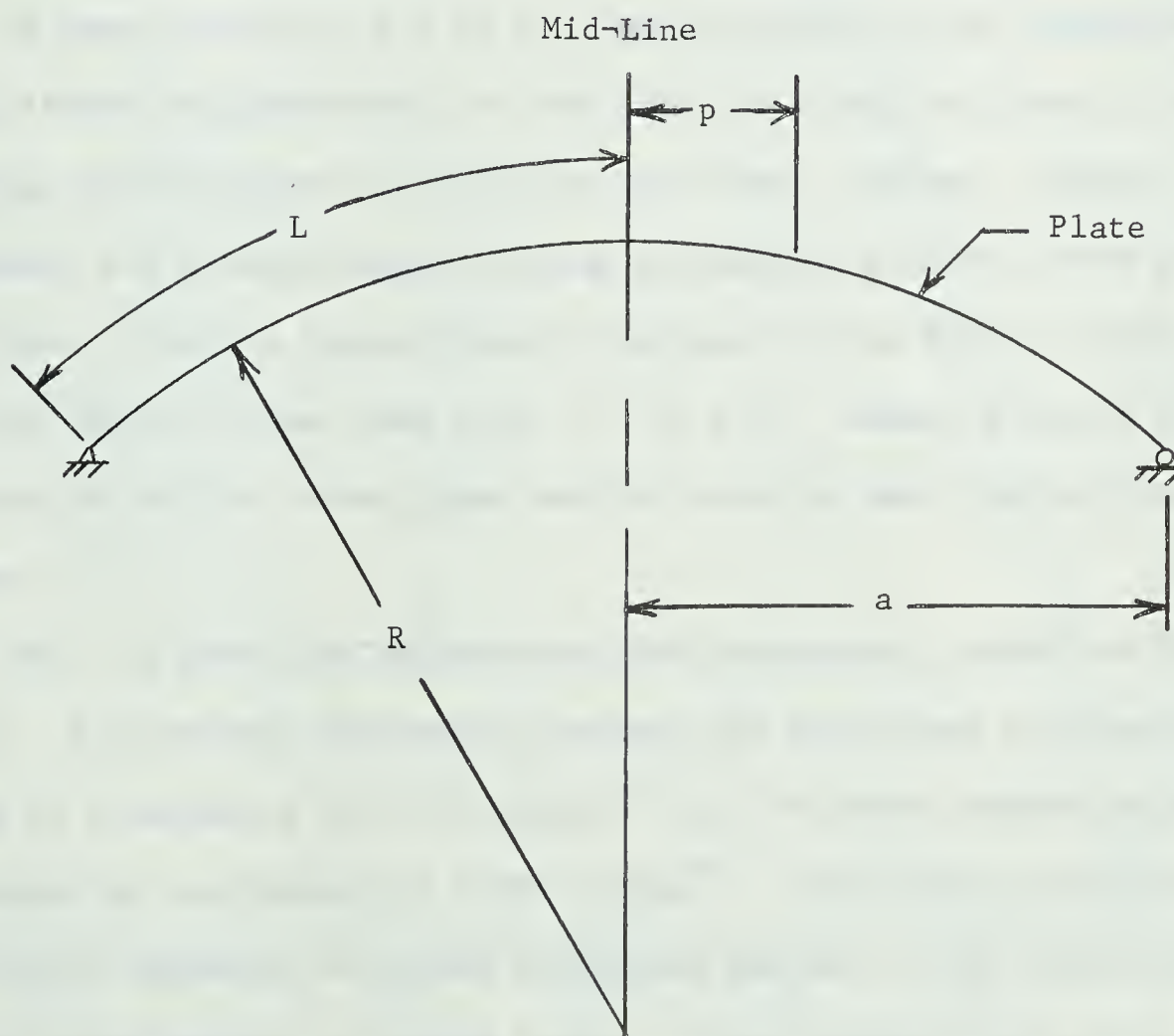


FIG. 3.1 DIAGRAM FOR OBTAINING CORRECTION MOMENT

The experimental curves were plotted and compared with theory in Figs. 3.2 to 3.7.

In measuring k for the different plates, it was found that this value varied by about 10 percent between different points on the same plate. In calculating the theoretical curves, an average value for k was used. It was found that a small change in k , for $k < 1$, produced a negligible change in the theoretical curves but a small change in k , for $k > 5$, produced large changes in the curves. Not being able to measure k accurately for the plates with $k > 5$ was a possible source of error.

3.3 DISCUSSION OF RESULTS

As seen from Figs. 3.2 to 3.7, better agreement was reached between theory and experiment for the tests involving the Plate II series than was obtained from the tests for the Plate I series. Better agreement was reached because during the machining of the cross section, the Plate II series warped linearly whereas for the Plate I series, the warping was non linear (see Figs. 2.1 to 2.6). Hence, a better approximation to the actual cross section could be made for the Plate II series.

Fig. 3.2 shows the experimental and theoretical curves for Plate I - A. A 24 percent discrepancy between the two curves is shown to occur at a curvature of $0.015 \text{ inches}^{-1}$, but the error reduced to only 2 percent at a curvature of $0.046 \text{ inches}^{-1}$. One possible reason for the better agreement at higher curvatures was due to the distortion of the cross section at higher loads. It was assumed that as the

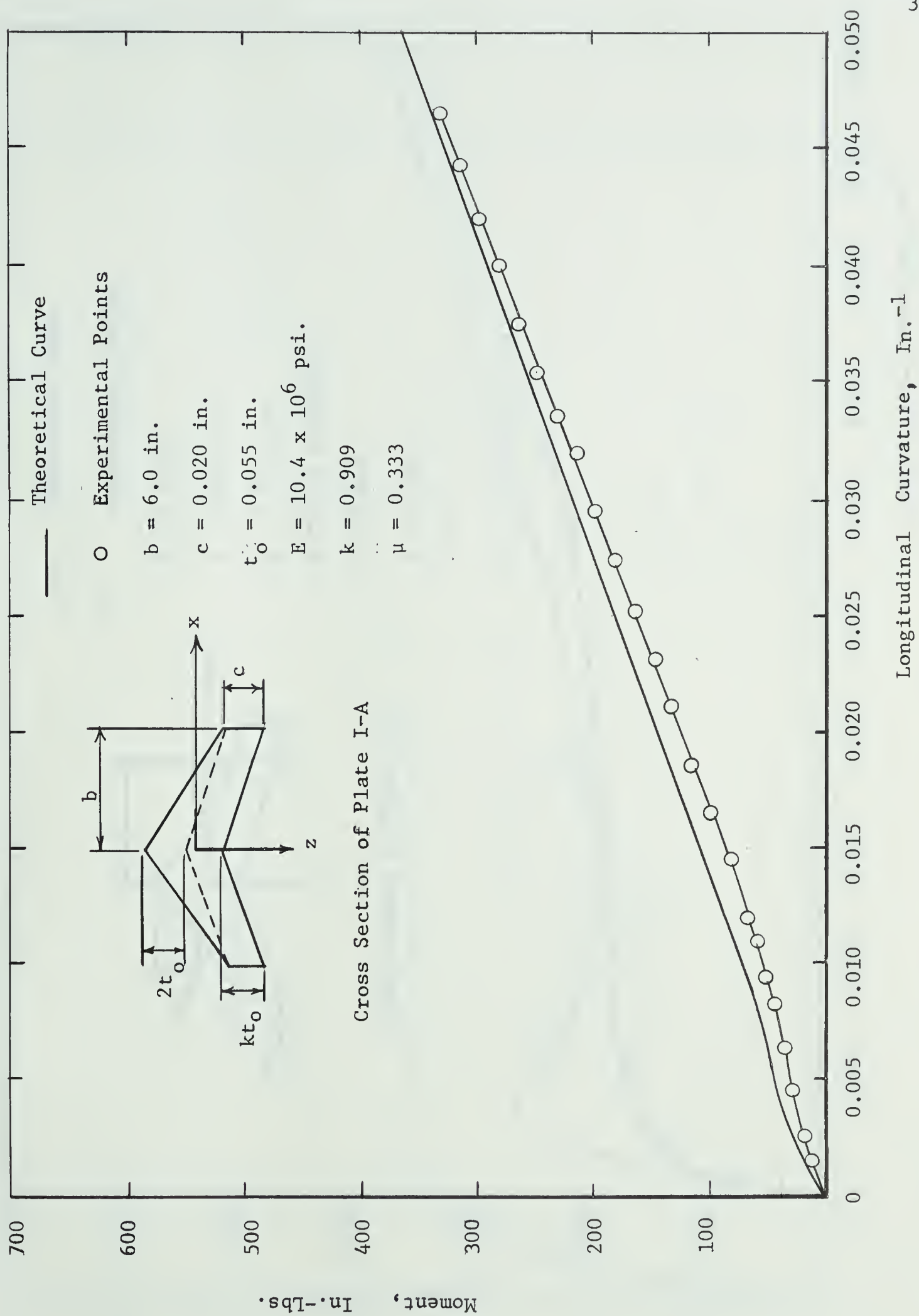


FIG. 3.2 COMPARISON OF THEORETICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS FOR PLATE I-A

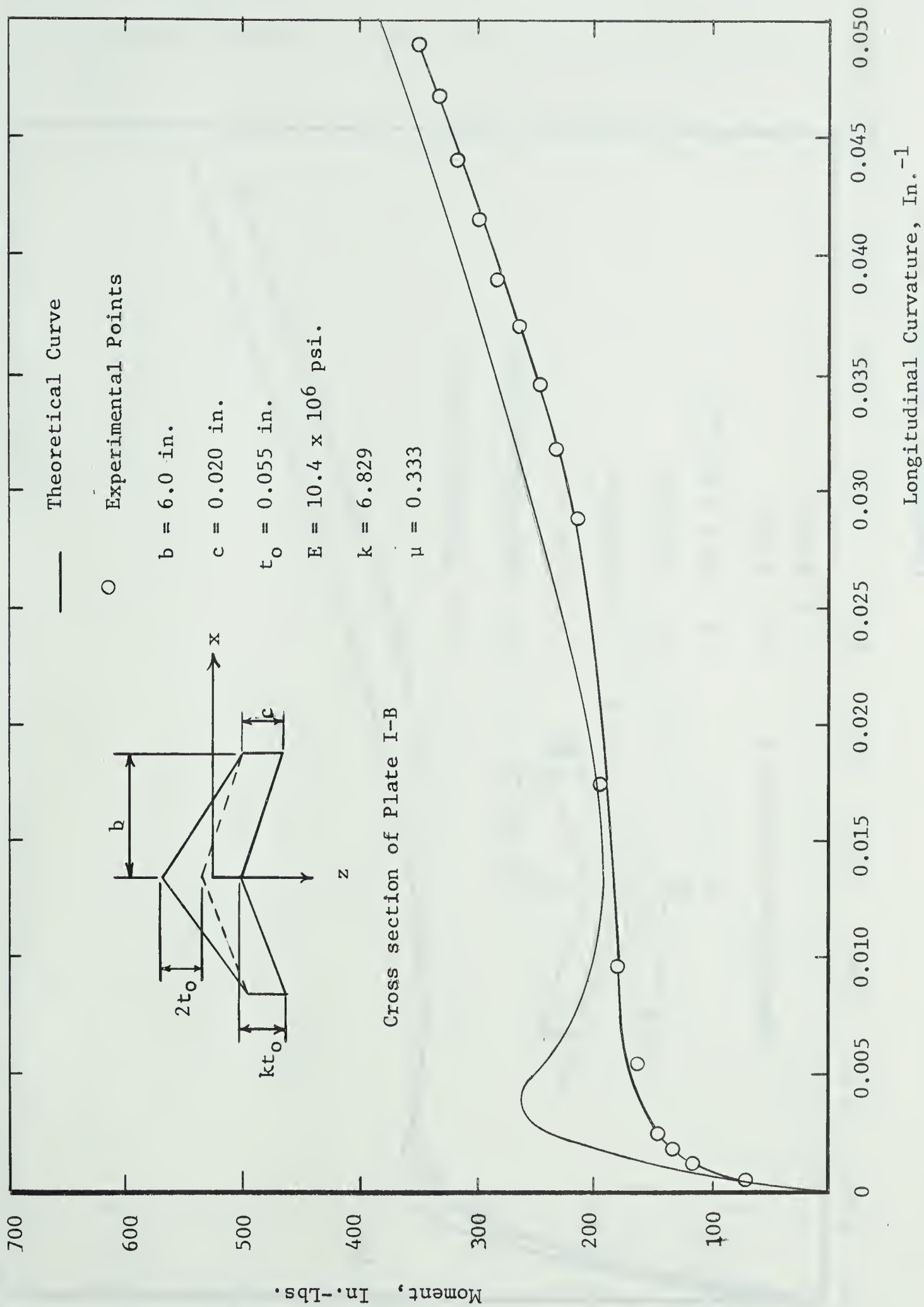


FIG. 3.3 COMPARISON OF THEORETICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS FOR PLATE I-B

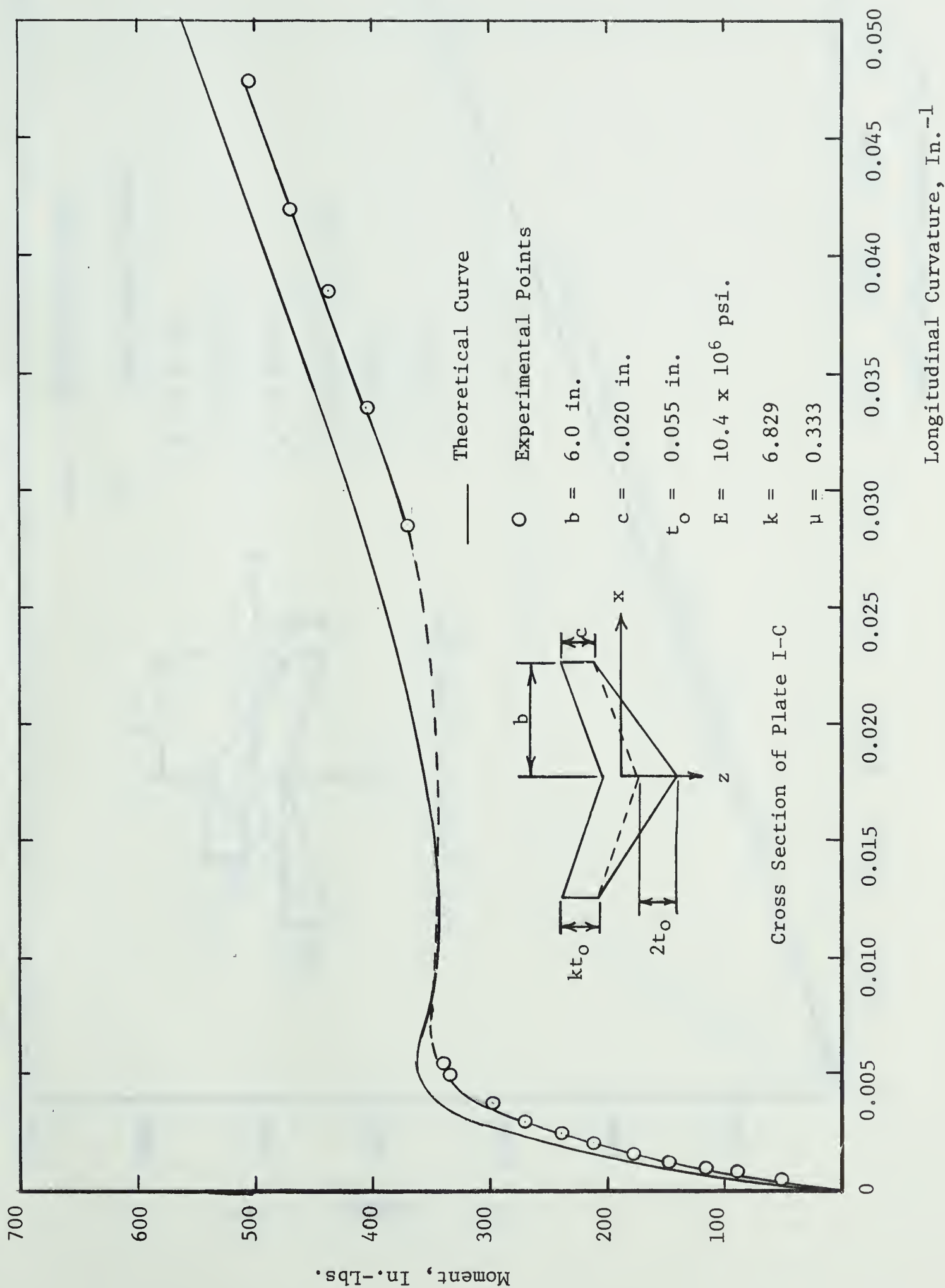


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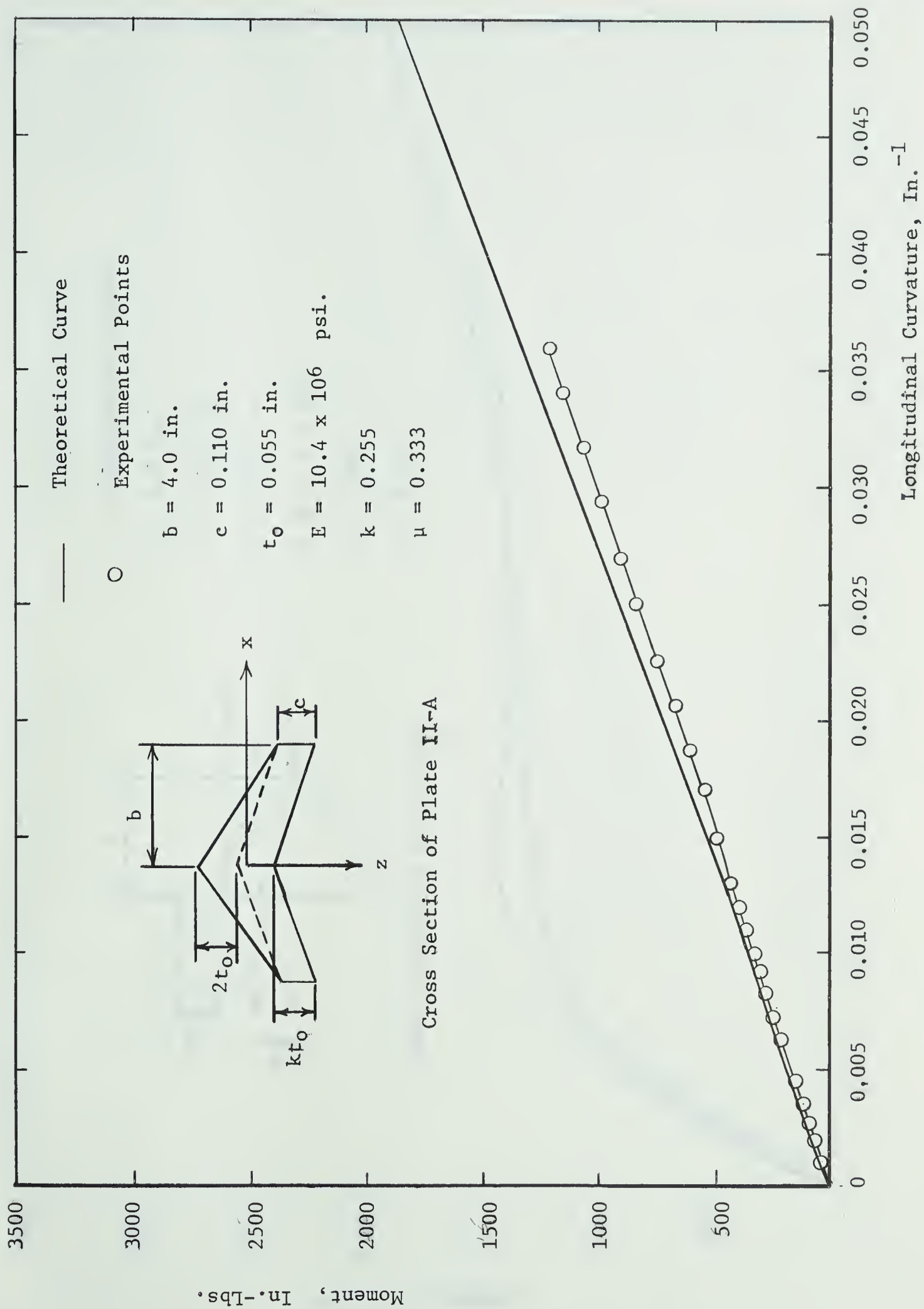


FIG 3.5 COMPARISON OF THEORETICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS FOR PLATE II-A

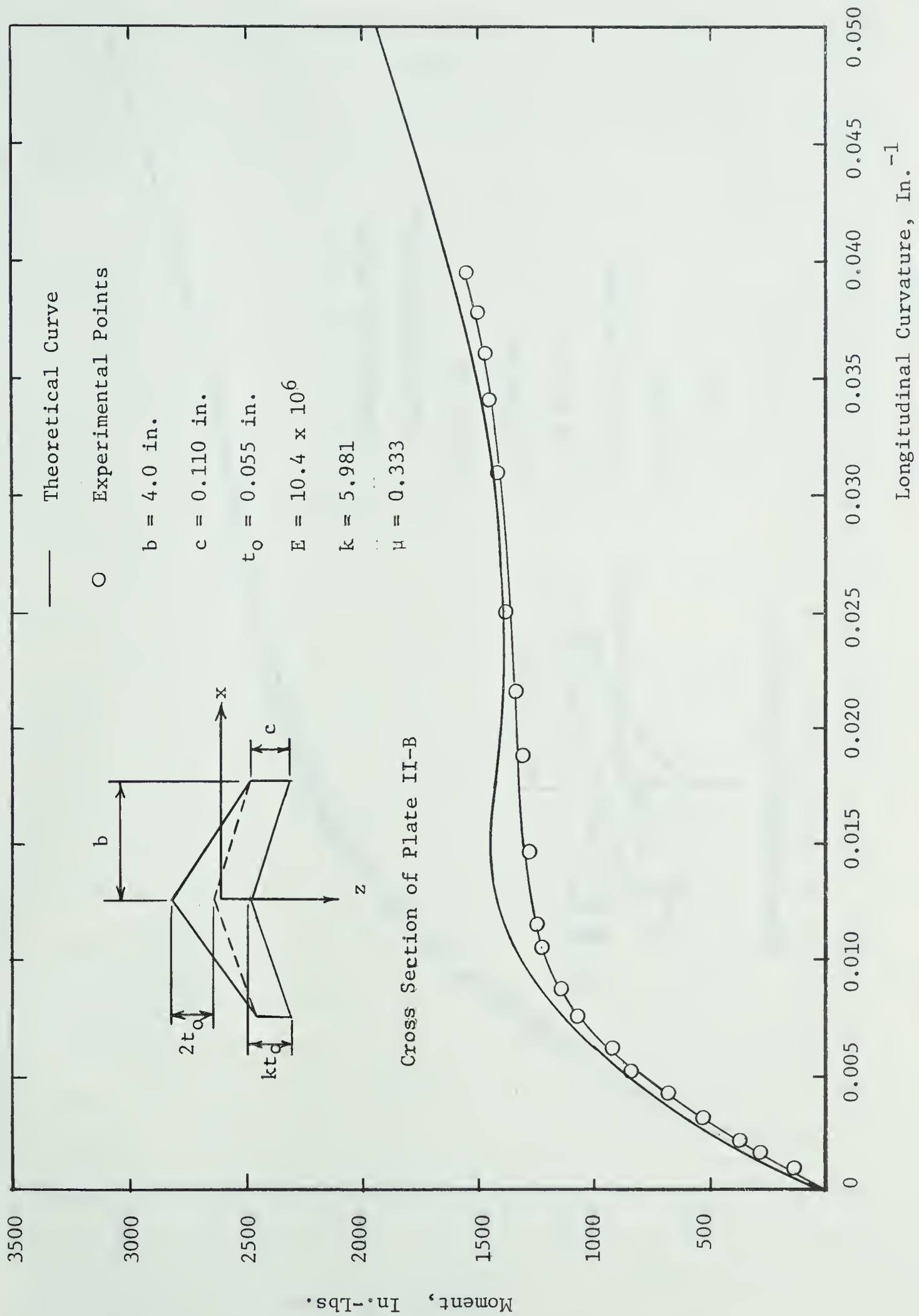


FIG. 3.6 COMPARISON OF THEORETICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS FOR PLATE II-B

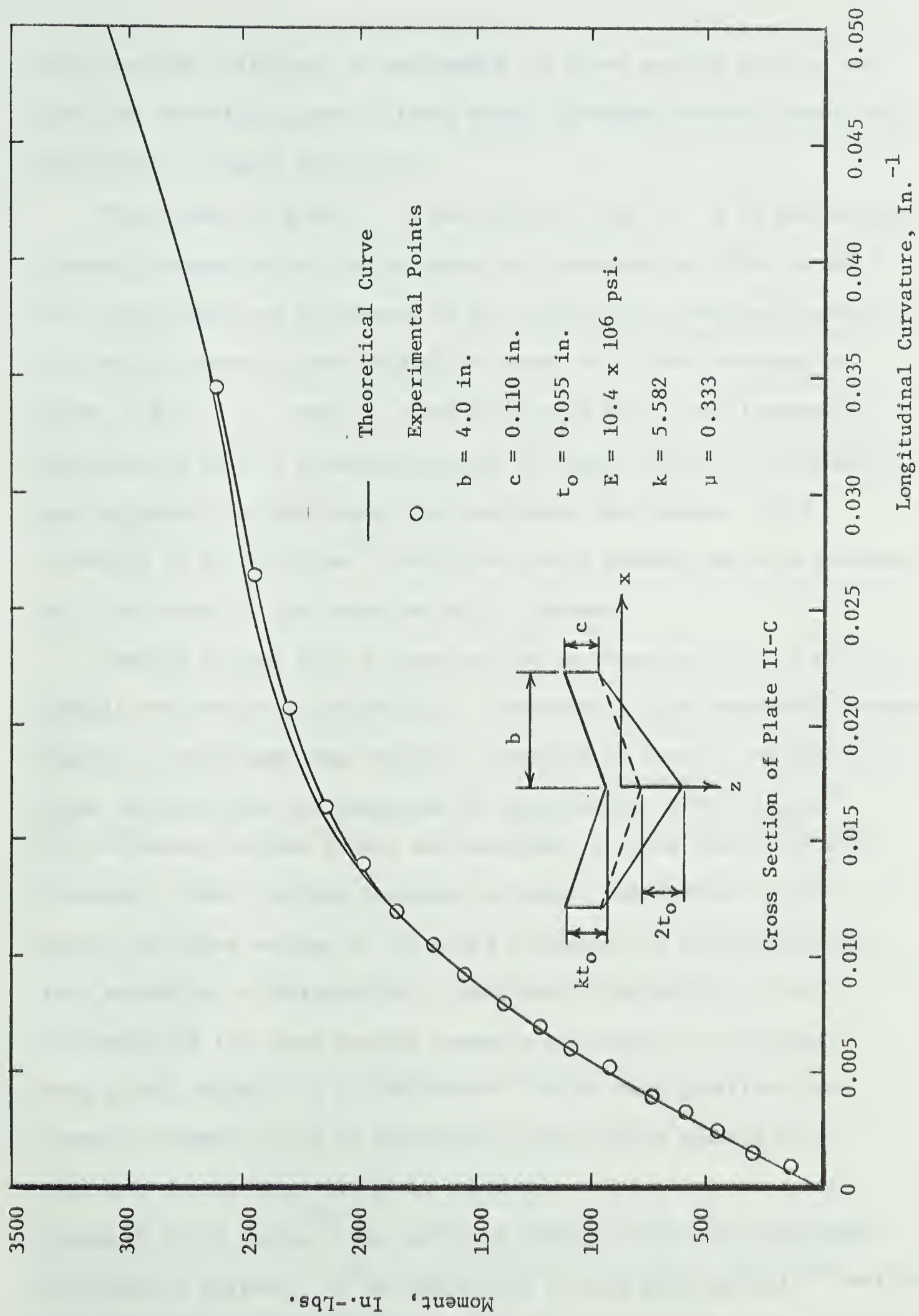


FIG 3.7 COMPARISON OF THEORETICAL AND EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS FOR PLATE II-C

cross section distorted, it approached the cross section used to obtain the theoretical curve, giving better agreement between theory and experiment at higher curvatures.

The curves for Plate I - B are shown in Fig. 3.3. A 38 percent discrepancy occurred in the region where the curvature was $0.004 \text{ inches}^{-1}$. This discrepancy was attributed to the characteristic torsional instability which occurred in the bending of plates with cross sections as shown in Fig. 3.3. When the cross section of the plate flattened out sufficiently so that torsional bending no longer dominated, reasonably good agreement between theory and experiment was reached. At a curvature of $0.029 \text{ inches}^{-1}$, the error was 14 percent and at a curvature of $0.049 \text{ inches}^{-1}$, the error was only 7 percent.

Bending a plate with a cross section as shown in Fig. 3.4 did not exhibit any torsional instability. Consequently, good agreement between theory and experiment was reached. According to theory, the plate becomes unstable when the curvature is approximately $0.0055 \text{ inches}^{-1}$. The difference between theory and experiment in this region was only 6 percent. When the next increment of moment was applied to the plate, the cross section of the plate flattened out instantaneously, thus exhibiting a characteristic condition of instability. The flattening of the cross section caused the curvature to increase from $0.0055 \text{ inches}^{-1}$ to $0.0285 \text{ inches}^{-1}$ before this additional increment of moment could be supported. After passing through this region of instability, the plate behaved more linearly. At a curvature of $0.050 \text{ inches}^{-1}$ the agreement between theory and experiment was within 5 percent. It is interesting to note that Ashwell⁽⁴⁾ verified his theory by carrying out experiments on steel measuring tapes, obtaining an error from 4 to 19 percent below that predicted by the theory.

Better agreement was reached for the Plate II series than for the Plate I series. Plate II - A (Fig. 3.5) showed an increase in the deviation between theoretical and experimental curves with increased curvature; however, the difference was only 8 percent at a curvature of $0.036 \text{ inches}^{-1}$. Plate II - B, Fig. 3.6, exhibited the same form of torsional instability as Plate I - B.

Fig. 3.7 for Plate II - C, showed excellent agreement between theory and experiment. This plate did not exhibit the bending instability characteristic shown by Plate I - C. Before this plate could exhibit bending instability, an increase in k would have to be made.

3.4 CONCLUDING REMARKS ON CHAPTER III

It was observed that for all six plates, the experimental moments were less than or equal to the theoretical moments at a particular curvature. One possible explanation for this was that the theoretical curves were based on the dimensions of the plate before the plate was bent into a longitudinal curvature. During the process of conducting three different tests on each plate, the plates gradually lost their camber; hence, reducing their stiffness and decreasing the moment required to bend them.

In addition to the errors caused by the non-linearity warping of the cross section and the inability to measure k accurately, other sources of error are:

- (1) error in reading the strain gauges, and
- (2) errors due to the frictional effects at the supports of the loading apparatus.

The error in reading the strain values was less than ± 5 percent, and the frictional error was approximately ± 2 percent. The total error due to the above causes was less than ± 7 percent.

CHAPTER IV

CONCLUSIONS AND FURTHER PROBLEMS4.1 CONCLUSIONS

Theoretical and experimental investigations were described in this thesis for moment-curvature relationships of cambered bitrapezoidal plates. The theory presented was supported by experimental results. The general theory developed was shown to approach the previous theories for flat rectangular plates and for bitrapezoidal plates with no camber. In fact, the previous theories are special cases of the theory presented in this thesis.

In view of the good agreement obtained between theory and experiment and with previous theories for different cross sections, the theory can be expected to accurately predict the moment-curvature relationships for plates with cambered bitrapezoidal cross sections having an edge thickness.

4.2 PROBLEMS FOR FURTHER STUDY

In conducting experiments on the plates, it was observed that Plates I-B and II-B exhibited torsional instability. It would be interesting to investigate experimentally and theoretically the torsional instability of cambered bitrapezoidal plates.

Thus far, plates have been considered with linear thickness variations. The present theory could be extended to include thickness variations of second or higher order (i.e. semi-elliptic or semi-circular cross sections with camber).

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APPENDIX A

COMPUTER PROGRAM TO EVALUATE CONSTANTS OF INTEGRATION AND THEORETICAL
MOMENT-CURVATURE RELATIONSHIPS

The following program consists of three parts: main program called "PLATE" and two subroutines called "SOLVE" and "BSL". First, the main program was used to solve for the order zero and one Bessel functions ber , bei , ker , and kei . By using various combinations of the order zero and one Bessel functions, the order two and the derivatives of the Bessel functions were calculated. A recursion formula was used to evaluate the above order zero and one functions, however, for arguments greater than ten, it was discovered that this recursion formula gave erroneous results for the ker and kei functions of order zero and one. Then subroutine "BSL" was added to the program so that whenever the argument, $\eta > 10$, this subroutine was called upon by the main program and the ker and kei functions of order zero and one were calculated using an asymptotic form of series. After the insertion of the "BSL" subroutine, the program computed the Bessel functions correctly.

After the necessary Bessel functions were computed, a 4 X 5 matrix was set up involving the four constants A, B, C, and D. Subroutine "SOLVE" was called upon to solve the matrix. The last part of the program is the calculation of moment-curvature relationship from Eqn. 1.3-11.

The program was initially written in single precision (i.e. using eight significant figures) however, it was soon discovered that due to computer "round-off" misleading results were obtained. The program was

then changed to double precision (i.e. using 16 significant figures) resulting in much improved results.

To facilitate in reading the computer program, some of the following symbols were used:

GAM	- γ , Euler's constant
YM	- E, Young's modulus
FMU	- μ , Poisson's ratio
T0	- t_0 , amount of taper
FC	- c, edge thickness
FK1	- k, dimensionless parameter
FB	- b, one-half the plate width
BETA	- $\beta = \frac{c}{2t_0}$
FLA2, FLA4, etc.	- λ^2 , λ^4 , etc.
EP	- ϵ
AL	- α
ETA	- η
BR00	- $\text{ber } \eta$
BR10	- $\text{ber}' \eta$
FKI11	- $\text{kei}_1' \eta$
EBI02	- $\text{bei}_2 \epsilon$
AKR01	- $\text{ker}_1 \alpha$
X(1), X(2), X(3), X(4)	- A, B, C, D respectively
F1,, F26	- various parts of Eqn. 1.3-11
FM	- moment
R1	- $1/R$, curvature.

The input data consisted of YM, FMU, T0, FC, FK1, and FB and the output was R1 and FM.

C PROGRAM PLATE

C COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR THE EVALUATION OF THEORETICAL MOMENT-
C CURVATURE RELATIONSHIPS FOR PLATES WITH CAMBERED BITRAPEZOIDAL
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COMMON A,X,FKR00,FKI00,FKR01,FKI01,ETA,N,NI
DOUBLE PRECISION A(4,5),X(4),YM,FMU,TO,FC,FK1,FB,PI,GAM,FJ,FLA2,
1FLA4,FLA8,FLA,BB,R,BETA,EP,AL,ETA,T,SUM,FI,SUM1,SUM2,B,C,PSI,FK,D,
1PSI1,PSI2,A1,EP2,EP3,EP4,AL2,AL3,AL4,FMU2,TO3,FM,FA,F1,F2,F3,F4,F5
1,F6,F7,F8,F9,F10,F11,F12,F13,F14,F15,F16,F17,F18,F19,F20,F21,F22,
1F23,F24,F25,F26,A23,B23,A24,B24,A25,B25,A26,B26,X12,X22,X32,X42,
1 B102,ABI02,EBI02,FKI02,EKI02,AKI02,X13,X24,X14,X23,R1,DL
DOUBLE PRECISION
1 BR00, BR10, BR20, BR01, BR11, BR02, B100, B110, B120, B101, B111,
1EBR00,EBR10,EBR20,EBR01,EBR11,EBR02,EBI00,EBI10,EBI20,EBI01,EBI11,
1ABR00,ABR10,ABR20,ABR01,ABR11,ABR02,ABI00,ABI10,ABI20,ABI01,ABI11,
1FKR00,FKR10,FKR20,FKR01,FKR11,FKR02,FKI00,FKI10,FKI20,FKI01,FKI11,
1EKR00,EKR10,EKR20,EKR01,EKR11,EKR02,EKI00,EKI10,EKI20,EKI01,EKI11,
1AKR00,AKR10,AKR20,AKR01,AKR11,AKR02,AKI00,AKI10,AKI20,AKI01,AKI11
11 FORMAT(1HJ,1F13.4,1F13.1)
27 FORMAT(6X,6D10.3)
C=DSQRT(2D0)
PI=3.14159265358979D0
GAM=.57721566490153D0
DO 28 JJ=1,25
WRITE(6,29)
29 FORMAT(1HK,5X,60H      YM      MU      TO      C      K
1      B      )
READ(5,27)YM,FMU,TO,FC,FK1,FB
WRITE(6,27)YM,FMU,TO,FC,FK1,FB
BETA=FC/(2D0*TO)
BB=FB**2
FMU2=FMU**2
WRITE(6,26)
26 FORMAT(1HL,26H      CURVATURE      MOMENT)
DO 28 J=1,100,1
FJ=J
R1=.001D0*FJ
R=1D0/R1
FLA4=3D0*FB**4*(1D0-FMU2)/((TO*R)**2)
FLA2=BB*DSQRT(3D0*(1D0-FMU2))/(R*TO)
FLA=SQRT(FLA2)
FLA8=FLA4**2
EP=2D0*FLA*DSQRT(BETA)
AL=2D0*FLA*DSQRT(1D0+BETA)
ETA=EP
L=1
C BER ETA
23 T=-(.25D0)**2*ETA**4/4D0
SUM=1D0+T
FI=1D0

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COMPLETES PROGRAM FOR THE EVALUATION OF ECONOMIC POW-
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SIGNATURE RELATION SHIPS FOR VARIOUS WITH COMMERCE RISK-
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DOUBLE PRECISION

11 FORM 1 (1-7, 1-13, 1-14) TA 403 11

25 FORM 41 (EX, 010.1)

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WRITE(6,'SYN,FMD,I0,FC,FK1,F

(01*005)\07=0730

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$$

5 * * U47 = 5 U47

(35, 6) 37184

SP FORMAT(11,58) CURVATURE (MMINT)

1,001,1=2 08 03

 $U = U_1$

17*00100. = 10

18\001=9

$$\{V \mid V \neq \emptyset, V \cap S \neq \emptyset, V \cap S^c \neq \emptyset, V \cap S \neq S, V \cap S^c \neq S^c\}$$

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FLA-2081 (FLA-2)

$$(\ast \ast \ast) A_{17} = A_{17}$$

$$E_0 = 800 \text{ MeV} \quad (A \approx 100)$$

$$A^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^T A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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(5) $\mathbb{I} = \mathbb{I}$


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1  FI=FI+1D0
   T=-T*.25D0**2*ETA**4/(((2D0*FI*(2D0*FI-1D0))**2)
   SUM=SUM+T
   IF(DABS(T).GE.5D-16) GO TO 1
   BROO=SUM
C  BEI ETA
   T=.25D0*ETA**2
   SUM=T
   FI=1D0
3  FI=FI+1D0
   T=-T*(.25D0*ETA**2)**2/(((2D0*FI-1D0)*(2D0*FI-2D0))**2)
   SUM=SUM+T
   IF(DABS(T).GE.5D-16) GO TO 3
   BIOO=SUM
C  BER AND BEI ETA FOR NU=1
   SUM1=DCOS(.75D0*PI)
   SUM2=DSIN(.75D0*PI)
   B=1.25D0
   FI=1D0
   T=.25D0*ETA**2/(FI*(FI+1D0))
   SUM1=SUM1+T*DCOS(B*PI)
   SUM2=SUM2+T*DSIN(B*PI)
5  FI=FI+1D0
   B=B+.5D0
   T=T*.25D0*ETA**2/(FI*(FI+1D0))
   SUM1=SUM1+T*DCOS(B*PI)
   SUM2=SUM2+T*DSIN(B*PI)
   IF(DABS(T).GE.5D-16) GO TO 5
   BRO1=.5D0*ETA*SUM1
   BIO1=.5D0*ETA*SUM2
   BR10=(BRO1+BIO1)/C
   BI10=(BIO1-BRO1)/C
   BR20=-BIOO-BR10/ETA
   BI20=BROO-BI10/ETA
   BR11=-(BROO+BIOO)/C-BR01/ETA
   BI11=-(BIOO-BROO)/C-BIO1/ETA
   BR02=-C*(BRO1-BIO1)/ETA-BROO
   BIO2=-C*(BIO1+BRO1)/ETA-BIOO
C  KER ETA
   IF(ETA.LE.1D0D) GO TO 31
   CALL BSL
   GO TO 30
31 I=1
   DL=DLOG(.5D0*ETA)
   SUM=-GAM
   T=-(.25D0*ETA**2)**2/4D0
15 I=I+1
   FI=I
   PSI=-GAM
   N=2*I-2
   DO 14 K=1,N
   FK=K

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1  F1=1+100
   T=-1*(.5200**ETAX\((500*F1-100)*(500*F1-100)+5))
   SUM=200+1
   IF (EVAL(T),.50-10) GO TO 1
   RHO=200
   BFI=ETA
   T=.5200*ETAX
   SUM=1
   F1=100
   F1=1+100
2  T=-1*(.5200*ETAX\((500*F1-100)*(500*F1-100)+5))
   SUM=200+1
   IF (EVAL(T),.50-10) GO TO 2
   RHO=200
   RFR=ABD BFI ETA FCR NFI=1
   SUM1=EG2(.5200*P1)
   SUM2=EG2IN(.5200*P1)
   BFI=1.5200
   F1=100
   T=.5200*ETAX\((F1+100)*(F1+100)+5))
   SUM1=SUM1+T*EG2(B*P1)
   SUM2=SUM2+T*EG2IN(B*P1)
   F1=1+100
   B=8+.500
   T=1*(.5200*ETAX\((F1+100)*(F1+100)+5))
   SUM1=SUM1+T*EG2(B*P1)
   SUM2=SUM2+T*EG2IN(B*P1)
   IF (EVAL(T),.50-10) GO TO 3
   RHO1=.500*ETAX*SUM1
   RHO2=.500*ETAX*SUM2
   BRIO=(RHO1+RHO1)\C
   BRIO=(RHO1-BRIO)\C
   BRIO=-RHO-BRIO\ETA
   BRIO=BRIO-BRIO\ETA
   BRIO1=-(RHO0+RHO)\C-BRIO\ETA
   BRIO2=-(RHO-BRIO)\C-BRIO\ETA
   BRIO3=-C*(RHO1-BRIO)\ETA-BRIO
   BRIO5=-C*(RHO1+BRIO)\ETA-BRIO
   RFR=ETA
   IF (EVAL(T,1000) GO TO 3)
   CALL H2L
   GO TO 30
31  F1=1
   PL=PLGC(.500*ETAX)
   SUM=GAM
   T=-(.5200*ETAX**5\400)
12  F1=1+1
   F1=1
   P21=-.040
   N=5*1-5
   GO 14 N=1,N
   LK=R

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14 PSI=PSI+1D0/FK
   D=T*PSI
   SUM=SUM+D
   T=-T*(.25D0*ETA**2)**2/(((2D0*FI*(2D0*FI-1D0))**2)
   IF(DABS(D).GE.5D-16) GO TO 15
   FKROO=-DL*BR00+.25D0*PI*B100+SUM
C   KEI ETA
   I=1
   SUM=(-GAM+1D0)*.25D0*ETA**2
   T=-(.25D0*ETA**2)**3/36D0
16 I=I+2
   PSI=-GAM
   DO 17 K=1,I
   FK=K
17 PSI=PSI+1D0/FK
   D=T*PSI
   SUM=SUM+D
   FI=I
   T=-T*(.25D0*ETA**2)**2/(((FI+2D0)*(FI+1D0))**2)
   IF(DABS(D).GE.5D-16) GO TO 16
   FK100=-DL*B100-.25D0*PI*BR00+SUM
C   KER1 AND KEI1 ETA
   I=1
   SUM1=DCOS(.75D0*PI)*(-2D0*GAM+1D0)
   SUM2=DSIN(.75D0*PI)*(-2D0*GAM+1D0)
   T=ETA**2/8D0
   B=1.25D0
20 I=I+1
   FI=I
   N=I-1
   PSI1=-GAM
   DO 18 K=1,N
   FK=K
18 PSI1=PSI1+1D0/FK
   PSI2=-GAM
   DO 19 K=1,I
   FK=K
19 PSI2=PSI2+1D0/FK
   PSI=PSI1+PSI2
   A1=DSIN(B*PI)*PSI*T
   D=DCOS(B*PI)*PSI*T
   SUM1=SUM1+D
   SUM2=SUM2+A1
   T=T*.25D0*ETA**2/(FI*(FI+1D0))
   B=B+.5D0
   IF(DABS(D).GE.5D-16) GO TO 20
   FKRO1=.25D0*ETA*SUM1+DCOS(.75D0*PI)/ETA-DL*BR01+.25D0*PI*B101
   FK101=.25D0*ETA*SUM2-DSIN(.75D0*PI)/ETA-DL*B101-.25D0*PI*BR01
C   SOLVE FOR KER-KEI PRIME,KER-KEI 2PRIME,KER1-KEI1 PRIME,KER2-KEI2
30 FKR10=(FKRO1+FK101)/C
   FK110=(FK101-FKRO1)/C
   FKR20=-FK100-FKR10/ETA

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FKI20=FKR00-FKI10/ETA
FKR11=-(FKR00+FKI00)/C-FKR01/ETA
FKI11=-(FKI00-FKR00)/C-FKI01/ETA
FKR02=-C*(FKR01-FKI01)/ETA-FKR00
FKI02=-C*(FKI01+FKR01)/ETA-FKI00
IF(L.EQ.2)GO TO 25
EBR00=BR00
EBR10=BR10
EBR20=BR20
EBR01=BR01
EBR11=BR11
EBR02=BR02
EBI00=BI00
EBI10=BI10
EBI20=BI20
EBI01=BI01
EBI11=BI11
EBI02=BI02
EKR00=FKR00
EKR10=FKR10
EKR20=FKR20
EKR01=FKR01
EKR11=FKR11
EKR02=FKR02
EKI00=FKI00
EKI10=FKI10
EKI20=FKI20
EKI01=FKI01
EKI11=FKI11
EKI02=FKI02
ETA=AL
L=2
GO TO 23
25 ABR00=BR00
   ABR10=BR10
   ABR20=BR20
   ABR01=BR01
   ABR11=BR11
   ABR02=BR02
   ABI00=BI00
   ABI10=BI10
   ABI20=BI20
   ABI01=BI01
   ABI11=BI11
   ABI02=BI02
   AKR00=FKR00
   AKR10=FKR10
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FR800=FR800
FR810=FR810
FR820=FR820
FR830=FR830
FR840=FR840
FR850=FR850
FR860=FR860
FR870=FR870
FR880=FR880
FR890=FR890
FR900=FR900
FR910=FR910
FR920=FR920
FR930=FR930
FR940=FR940
FR950=FR950
FR960=FR960
FR970=FR970
FR980=FR980
FR990=FR990
FR1000=FR1000


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AKI10=FKI10
AKI20=FKI20
AKI01=FKI01
AKI11=FKI11
AKI02=FKI02
EP2=EP**2
EP3=EP**3
EP4=EP**4
AL2=AL**2
AL3=AL**3
AL4=AL**4
A(1,1)=-EP3*EBR00-24D0*EP*EBI00-48D0*EBR10+8D0*EP2*EBI10
A(1,2)=-EP3*EBI00+24D0*EP*EBR00-48D0*EBI10-8D0*EP2*EBR10
A(1,3)=-EP3*EKR00-24D0*EP*EKI00-48D0*EKR10+8D0*EP2*EKI10
A(1,4)=-EP3*EKI00+24D0*EP*EKR00-48D0*EKI10-8D0*EP2*EKR10
A(1,5)=0D0
A(2,1)=-EP2*EBI10+4D0*EP*EBI00+8D0*EBR10
A(2,2)= EP2*EBR10-4D0*EP*EBR00+8D0*EBI10
A(2,3)=-EP2*EKI10+4D0*EP*EKI00+8D0*EKR10
A(2,4)= EP2*EKR10-4D0*EP*EKR00+8D0*EKI10
A(2,5)=FMU*BB*EP3*BETA/(R*FLA2)
A(3,1)=-2D0*ABR10-AL*ABI00
A(3,2)=-2D0*ABI10+AL*ABR00
A(3,3)=-2D0*AKR10-AL*AKI00
A(3,4)=-2D0*AKI10+AL*AKR00
A(3,5)=-T0*(1D0+FK1)*AL3/(2D0*FLA2)
A(4,1)=AL2*ABR00-2D0*AL*ABI10-EP2*EBR00+2D0*EP*EBI10
A(4,2)=AL2*ABI00+2D0*AL*ABR10-EP2*EBI00-2D0*EP*EBR10
A(4,3)=AL2*AKR00-2D0*AL*AKI10-EP2*EKR00+2D0*EP*EKI10
A(4,4)=AL2*AKI00+2D0*AL*AKR10-EP2*EKI00-2D0*EP*EKR10
A(4,5)=-6D0*FMU*BB/(4D0*R*FLA4)*(AL4-EP4)
N=4
CALL SOLVE
T03=T0**3
FM=YM*FB*T03/((1D0-FMU2)*768D0*FLA8*R)*(EP**8-AL**8)
FA=YM*FMU*T03/((12D0*FB*FLA4)*(1D0-FMU2))
F1=(EP2*EBR00-2D0*EP*EBI10-AL2*ABR00+2D0*AL*ABI10)*X(1)
F2=(EP2*EBI00+2D0*EP*EBR10-AL2*ABI00-2D0*AL*ABR10)*X(2)
F3=(EP2*EKR00-2D0*EP*EKI10-AL2*AKR00+2D0*AL*AKI10)*X(3)
F4=(EP2*EKI00+2D0*EP*EKR10-AL2*AKI00-2D0*AL*AKR10)*X(4)
F5=-(EP3*EBR10-AL3*ABR10)*X(1)+3D0*F1
F6=-(EP3*EBI10-AL3*ABI10)*X(2)+3D0*F2
F7=-(EP3*EKR10-AL3*AKR10)*X(3)+3D0*F3
F8=-(EP3*EKI10-AL3*AKI10)*X(4)+3D0*F4
FM=FM+FA*3D0/2D0*(F1+F2+F3+F4+F5+F6+F7+F8)
F9=(EP4*EBR20-AL4*ABR20)*X(1)+4D0*F5
F10=(EP4*EBI20-AL4*ABI20)*X(2)+4D0*F6
F11=(EP4*EKR20-AL4*AKR20)*X(3)+4D0*F7
F12=(EP4*EKI20-AL4*AKI20)*X(4)+4D0*F8
FM=FM+FA*.5D0*(F9+F10+F11+F12)
FM=FM+9D0*YM*FMU2*FB**5*T0/(2D0*R**3*FLA2**6)*(EP4-AL4)
F13=F1

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F14=F2
F15=F3
F16=F4
FM=FM-6D0*YM*FMU*FB**3*T0/(R**2*FLA8)*(F13+F14+F15+F16)
X12=X(1)**2
X22=X(2)**2
F17=(X12+X22)*(EP*(EBR01*EBI11-EBR11*EBI01)-AL*(ABR01*ABI11-ABR11*
1ABI01))
F18=(X12-X22)*(EP2*(2D0*EBR01*EBI01-EBR00*EBI02-EBR02*EBI00)-AL2*(
12D0*ABR01*ABI01-ABR00*ABI02-ABR02*ABI00))/2D0
X32=X(3)**2
X42=X(4)**2
F19=(X32+X42)*(EP*(EKR01*EKI11-EKR11*EKI01)-AL*(AKR01*AKI11-AKR11*
1AKI01))
F20=(X32-X42)*(EP2*(2D0*EKR01*EKI01-EKR00*EKI02-EKR02*EKI00)-AL2*(
12D0*AKR01*AKI01-AKR00*AKI02-AKR02*AKI00))/2D0
F21=-X(1)*X(2)*(EP2*(EBR01**2-EBR00*EBR02-EBI01**2+EBI00*EBI02)-AL
12*(ABR01**2-ABR00*ABR02-ABI01**2+ABI00*ABI02))
F22=-X(3)*X(4)*(EP2*(EKR01**2-EKR00*EKR02-EKI01**2+EKI00*EKI02)-AL
12*(AKR01**2-AKR00*AKR02-AKI01**2+AKI00*AKI02))
A23=EP2*(2D0*EBR01*EKI01-EBR00*EKI02-EBR02*EKI00+2D0*EBI01*EKR01-E
1BI00*EKR02-EBI02*EKR00)
B23=AL2*(2D0*ABR01*AKI01-ABR00*AKI02-ABR02*AKI00+2D0*ABI01*AKR01-A
1BI00*AKR02-ABI02*AKR00)
X13=X(1)*X(3)
X24=X(2)*X(4)
F23=(X13-X24)/2D0*(A23-B23)
A24=-EP*(EBR11*EKI01-EBR01*EKI11-EBI11*EKR01+EBI01*EKR11)
B24=-AL*(ABR11*AKI01-ABR01*AKI11-ABI11*AKR01+ABI01*AKR11)
F24=(X13+X24)*(A24-B24)
X14=X(1)*X(4)
X23=X(2)*X(3)
A25=EP2*(-2D0*EBR01*EKR01+EBR00*EKR02+EBR02*EKR00+2D0*EBI01*EKI01-
1EBI00*EKI02-EBI02*EKI00)
B25=AL2*(-2D0*ABR01*AKR01+ABR00*AKR02+ABR02*AKR00+2D0*ABI01*AKI01-
1ABI00*AKI02-ABI02*AKI00)
F25=(X14+X23)/2D0*(A25-B25)
A26=EP*(EBR11*EKR01-EBR01*EKR11+EBI11*EKI01-EBI01*EKI11)
B26=AL*(ABR11*AKR01-ABR01*AKR11+ABI11*AKI01-ABI01*AKI11)
F26=(X14-X23)*(A26-B26)
FM=FM+YM*FB*T0/(4D0*R*FLA4)*(F17+F18+F19+F20+F21+F22+F23+F24+F25+F
126)
28 WRITE(6,11) R1,FM
STOP
END

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END
STOP
WRITE(6,11) RI,FH
150)
FM=FHY+YR*EBRLQX(QDQ*KFLA)*(FIV+FIB+FIH+FXI+FSX+LIX)+
FSR=(XI4-XS3)*(ASG-BSG)
BSE=AL*(ABRII*ARJOT+ABRII*AKRII+ABRII*EKRII+EBRII*EKRII)
ASG=BP*(EBRII*EKRII+EBRII*EKRII+EBRII*EKRII)
FSR=(XI4+XS3)\SCQ*(AS2-B22)
FVIQO*AKIOZ-ABIOZ*AKIOZ)
BSP=AL*(SUG*ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI)
FERIOD*EKIOZ-FEIOZ*EKIOZ)
ASP=BPS*(-SUG*FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI)
XS3=X(3)*X(3)
XI4=X(1)*X(4)
FS4=(XI3+XS4)*(ASA-B24)
B44=-AL*(ABRII*ARJOI+ABRII*AKRII+ABRII*EKRII+EBRII*EKRII)
AS4=-BP*(EBRII*EKRII+EBRII*EKRII+EBRII*EKRII)
RS3=(XI1-X39)\SCQ*(AS3-B21)
XS4=X(2)*X(4)
XI3=X(1)*X(3)
ERIO*AKIOZ-ABIOZ*AKIOZ)
B23=AL*(SUG*ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI+ARJOI)
FEIOZ*EKIOZ-FEIOZ*EKIOZ)
AS3=FPZ*(ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI)
I2*(ARJOI**2-KRGQ**KRGQ-ARJOI**2+AKIOG*AKIOZ))
FS2=-X(3)*X(4)+(ES4+(ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI)
IS*(ARJOI**2-KRGQ**KRGQ-ARJOI**2+AKIOG*AKIOZ))
FSI=-X(1)*X(2)*(ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI+ERIO*ARJOI)
ISQO*ARJOI*AKRII-ARJOI*AKRII+ARJOI*AKRII\SCQ)
X20=(X3-X25)*(FP2*(SUG*FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI)
IAVLI)
FIV=(X3+XS)*(EP*(EKRII*EKRII+EKRII*EKRII)-AL*(ARJOI*ARJOI))-
XS2=X(4)**2
XS3=X(1)**2
ISQO*ARJOI*AKRII-ARJOI*AKRII+ARJOI*AKRII\SCQ)
FII=(XIS-XS2)*(EP*(SUG*FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI)
IAVLI)
FIV=(XIS+XS2)*(EP*(SUG*FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI)
XS2=X(2)**2
XS3=X(1)**2
FIV=X(XI4-QY*\SCQ*FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI+FERJOI)
FII=FI
FIV=FI
14)FI
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SUBROUTINE SOLVE

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COMMON A,X,FKR00,FKI00,FKR01,FKI01,ETA,N,NI
DOUBLE PRECISION A(4,5),X(4),FKR00,FKI00,FKR01,FKI01,ETA,AMAX,TS,
1FMULTP,FNUM
M=N+1
NM1=N-1
DO 100 I=1,N
100 A(I,M)=-A(I,M)
DO 101 I=1,NM1
AMAX=A(I,I)
K=I
DO 102 J=I,N
IF(DABS(A(J,I)).LE.DABS(AMAX)) GO TO 102
AMAX=A(J,I)
K=J
102 CONTINUE
IF(AMAX.NE.0.0)GO TO 103
RETURN
103 IF(DABS(AMAX).GE.1D-21) GO TO 104
WRITE(6,105)
105 FORMAT(1HJ,14X,45H MATRIX IS EITHER SINGULAR OR ILL CONDITIONED)
104 DO 106 J=I,M
TS=A(I,J)
A(I,J)=A(K,J)
106 A(K,J)=TS
IP1=I+1
DO 107 J=IP1,N
FMULTP=A(J,I)/A(I,I)
DO 107 L=IP1,M
107 A(J,L)=A(J,L)-FMULTP*A(I,L)
101 CONTINUE
X(N)=A(N,M)/A(N,N)
DO 108 I=1,NM1
K=N-I
KP1=K+1
FNUM=0D0
DO 109 J=KP1,N
109 FNUM=FNUM+X(J)*A(K,J)
108 X(K)=(A(K,M)-FNUM)/A(K,K)
RETURN
END

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[illegible]

SUBROUTINE BSL

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C   ASSYMPOTIC EXPANSION OF KER KEI KER1 KEI1
C
COMMON A,X,FKR00,FKI00,FKR01,FKI01,ETA,N,NI
DOUBLE PRECISION A(4,5),X(4),FKR00,FKI00,FKR01,FKI01,ETA,S2,SUM1,S
1UM2,PI,BETA,FC,C,S,B,T,FI
S2=DSQRT(2D0)
PI=3.14159265358979D0
SUM1=1D0
SUM2=0D0
BETA=ETA/S2+PI/8D0
FC=DSQRT(PI/(2D0*ETA))*DEXP(-ETA/S2)
B=.25D0
I=1
JC=2
JS=4
JCP=4
JSP=2
JCCP=8
JSSP=6
T=-1D0/(8D0*ETA)
SUM1=SUM1+T*DCOS(PI*B)
SUM2=SUM2+T*DSIN(PI*B)
3 I=I+1
FI=I
B=B+.25D0
IF(I.EQ.JC) GO TO 4
IF(I.EQ.JCP) GO TO 22
IF(I.EQ.JCCP) GO TO 23
C=DCOS(PI*B)
GO TO 5
4 C=0D0
JC=JC+4
T=T*(-(2D0*FI-1D0)**2)/(FI*8D0*ETA)
GO TO 18
22 C=-1D0
JCP=JCP+8
GO TO 5
23 C= 1D0
JCCP=JCCP+8
5 T=T*(-(2D0*FI-1D0)**2)/(FI*8D0*ETA)
SUM1=SUM1+T*C
18 IF(I.EQ.JS) GO TO 6
IF(I.EQ.JSP) GO TO 24
IF(I.EQ.JSSP) GO TO 25
S=DSIN(PI*B)
GO TO 7
6 S=0D0
JS=JS+4
GO TO 19

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24 S=1D0
   JSP=JSP+8
   GO TO 7
25 S=-1D0
   JSSP=JSSP+8
   7 SUM2=SUM2+T*S
19 IF(DABS(T).GE.1D-08) GO TO 3
   C=DCOS(BETA)
   S=DSIN(BETA)
   FKROO=FC*(SUM1*C-SUM2*S)
   FKIOO=FC*(-SUM1*S-SUM2*C)
   I=1
   JC=2
   JS=4
   JCP=4
   JSP=2
   JCCP=8
   JSSP=6
   SUM1=1D0
   SUM2=0D0
   B=.25D0
   T=3D0/(8D0*ETA)
   BETA=ETA/S2+.625D0*PI
   SUM1=SUM1+T*DCOS(PI*B)
   SUM2=SUM2+T*DSIN(PI*B)
12 I=I+1
   FI=I
   B=B+.25D0
   IF(I.EQ.JC) GO TO 8
   IF(I.EQ.JCP) GO TO 26
   IF(I.EQ.JCCP) GO TO 27
   C=DCOS(PI*B)
   GO TO 9
8 C=0D0
   JC=JC+4
   T=T*(4D0-(2D0*FI-1D0)**2)/(FI*8D0*ETA)
   GO TO 20
26 C=-1D0
   JCP=JCP+8
   GO TO 9
27 C=1D0
   JCCP=JCCP+8
   9 T=T*(4D0-(2D0*FI-1D0)**2)/(FI*8D0*ETA)
   SUM1=SUM1+T*C
20 IF(I.EQ.JS) GO TO 10
   IF(I.EQ.JSP) GO TO 28
   IF(I.EQ.JSSP) GO TO 29
   S=DSIN(PI*B)
   GO TO 11
10 S=0D0
   JS=JS+4
   GO TO 21

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10 2=0D0
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100 00 10 11

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28 S=1D0
   JSP=JSP+8
   GO TO 11
29 S=-1D0
   JSSP=JSSP+8
11 SUM2=SUM2+T*S
21 IF(DABS(T).GE.1D-08) GO TO 12
   C=DCOS(BETA)
   S=DSIN(BETA)
   FKRO1=FC*(SUM1*C-SUM2*S)
   FKIO1=FC*(-SUM1*S-SUM2*C)
   RETURN
END
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END
RETURN
FRIOI=FC*(-2UMI*2-2UMS*C)
FMRIOI=FC*(2UMI*C-2UMS*2)
Z=D2I4(BETA)
C=DCC2(BETA)
IF(LAB2(I)).GE.(IO-BB) GO TO 15
IMMS=2UMS+1*Z
J22P=J22P+M
Z=-100
N=IC-11
J2P=J2P+N
Z=100
85 Z=100

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APPENDIX B

COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR EVALUATING BENDING MOMENT AND LONGITUDINAL CURVATURE
FROM STRAIN GAUGE READINGS

The program shown below determined the curvature using Eqn. 2.4-2. The particular program shown is for Plate II-C. The program was applicable to all the plates tested after the appropriate changes were made to it. The input data used was the double bending strain e_B . After the radius of curvature, R , was calculated, the program determined the correction moment, M_1 , using Eqn. 3.2-1. The correction moment was then subtracted from the applied moment, yielding the correct value for the moment. Output consists of e_B and the corresponding support distance, applied load, arc length from mid-line to measuring station under consideration, correction moment, curvature and moment. For ease in reading the program the following symbols were used:

W	- weight per unit length of plate
SUPD or A	- one-half the distance between the end supports of the plate
THNS	- distance between strain gauges at a particular measuring station (i.e. thickness of plate at centerline)
S	- distance from mid-line to measuring station measured along the plate
FL	- applied load to pulley rims
E (L) or ET - EB	- e_B
FM	- moment
Y	- P, horizontal distance from mid-line to measuring station
FM1 or M1	- M_1 , correction moment
R1	- $1/R$, curvature

The symbols not defined above are self-explanatory in the program.

C COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR THE EVALUATION OF EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS FOR
C PLATE II-C
C

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W=.1333
SUPD=16.75
THNS=.221
1 FORMAT(1X,14I5)
2 FORMAT(1X,7F10.3)
3 FORMAT(1HJ,4F10.2,2F10.4,1F10.1)
  DIMENSION J(340),E(340)
  DO 6 I=1,5
    READ(5,2) S
    WRITE(6,5)
5  FORMAT(1HK,70H ET-EB      SUP DIST      LOAD      ARC      M1
1      1/R      MOMENT )
    READ(5,1) (J(K), K=20,340,20)
    DO 6 L=20,340,20
      FL=L
      E(L)=J(L)
      FM=7.625*FL
      R=THNS/(E(L)*1.E-06)
      TH=S/ABS(R)
      Y=ABS(R)*SIN(TH)
      A=ABS(R)*SIN(SUPD/ABS(R))
      FM1=-W*SUPD*(A-Y)-W*ABS(R)*(SQRT(R*R-A*A)-SQRT(R*R-Y*Y)+Y*(SUPD/AB
1S(R)-TH))
      FM=FM+FM1
      R1=1./R
6  WRITE(6,3) E(L),A,FL,S,FM1,R1,FM
  STOP
  END

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